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RUSSIANS WHIPPED BY JAPS IN 3 RUNNING FIGHTS

TRAVIS' GOLF VICTORY ANOTHER BUNKER HILL

AMEICAN'S TRIUMPH AT SANDWICH HAS STIRRED ALL ENGLAND.

LONDON, June 4.—No international sporting event for a long time has created the widespread interest that has been excited by Walter J. Travis's victory yesterday. In extended descriptions and discussions of the play at Sandwich, in long editorials and commentaries, all the newspapers this morning pay tribute hearty and ungrudging to Travis's superb play. Mingled with expressions of keen disappointment that America has succeeded in wrestling the championship from England and Scotland of the peculiarly national game, are questions whether the event will not compel some revision of Anglo-Scottish ideas regarding golf.

Admitting that Travis's style of play is more scientific than British players are accustomed to see, his personality, his clubs and his methods are all carefully analyzed with a view to finding if any lesson can be learned. The wish is generally expressed to see him pitted against the best professionals.

The Morning Post asks what Scotchmen like Andrew Lang, who formerly protested against Englishmen invading their ancient game, will say to American domination.

"If we are not mistaken," says the Morning Post, "the United States will claim ere long to have something to say as to the rules of the game. There is talk already of the innovation in stymie play ing, and Travis's sutherland smokes shows that a younger generation is knocking at the door."

Revives "Stymie" Agitation.

The Field, in a long discussion, opposes the agitation for the abolition of "stymie."

All of the papers congratulate America in possessing such a magnificent player. The Daily Mail says:

"Truly our glory has departed. Travis

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MISS OSGOOD WINS

FINAL MATCH FOR WOMAN'S STATE

GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

DEFEATS MISS CURTIS ON THE LINKS OF THE WOLLASTON CLUB.

Miss Fanny C. Osgood, of the Country Club, is again woman's golf champion of the State.

She beat Miss Margaret Curtis, of the Country Club, by the easy score of 6 up and 5 to play in the finals of the Wollaston Golf Club's tourney this morning. This makes her fifth year as State victor.

After steady playing through the tourna ment, Miss Curtis failed when she came to her decisive match with Miss Osgood. She did not win a hole till they played the eleventh, which she managed to take six strokes to eight. The score then stood six up for Miss Osgood and seven to play. This gave Miss Curtis a bare chance of winning.

Halved Twelfth Hole.

The best Miss Curtis could do was to halve the twelfth hole, giving her a chance to tie the score in eighteen holes at the best, and force play for an extra hole. With Miss Osgood six up and six to play the thirteenth hole was halved, giving Miss Osgood the match, tournament and championship.

The consolation match for the silver medal, open to those who failed to qualify for the championship tourney, was won by Miss Carrie Morrill, Wellington Hill, who beat Mrs. J. W. Parks, of Wollaston, 3 up and 2 to play in the finals.

The largest "gallery" ever attendant at a Wollaston Golf Club tourney came out this morning for the State championship finals. All through the week the weather has been rather against spectators, though the players showed no lack of enthusiasm.

The links were in fine condition. The greens were like velvet and remarkably good putts were made at times. With the bright colors of the dresses and against the fair green of the links, with the ideal day and the invigorating air, the scene was perfect from a golf standpoint and pretty even to the unitiated.

The championship finals was begun at 10 o'clock. Miss Curtis topped her first drive made a poor recovery and tok seven to hole out. Miss Osgood made a fair drive, approached prettily, but still required six to make the hole.

They drove equally well for the second hole, but Miss Curtis lost on poor putting. Miss Osgood made a twenty-foot putt on the third hole green, enabling her to take the hole in spite of Miss Curtis holing out in 4. The long putt came just at the time it was needed, a bit of luck combined with skill that was discouraging to Miss Curtis's supporters.

Miss Osgood took the fourth hole, 4 to 5, making her 1 up and 14 to play.

Both fell down on the fifth hole, requiring three shots each to the green and halving the hole at seven strokes.

On the sixth hole Miss Osgood drove into the fence, and Miss Curtis drove off at an angle. Miss Osgood recovered easier and holed out one stroke ahead.

On the seventh hole Miss Osgood drove out of line, but managed to hole out in 5. Miss Curtis, meanwhile, had become bunkered, out of the bunker she fell into long grass, where she used up four strokes. She took ten strokes to hole out.

Miss Osgood won the eighth hole by one stroke. Miss Curtis making a brave effort to halve it.

Miss Curtis managed to halve the ninth hole, making the score on the turn six up for Miss Osgood and nine to play.

On the first home coming in Miss Osgood made a fine approach, landing within an inch of the hole and taking the hole finally, four to seven.

Miss Osgood Bunkered.

On the eleventh hole Miss Osgood became bunkered. She took two strokes to get out and Miss Curtis won the hole, 6 strokes to 8. This was the first hole she had won. She had a fining chance of taking the match. The score was 6 up for Miss Osgood and 7 to play.

Miss Curtis played shrewdly for the twelfth hole, holing out in 5. But Miss Osgood made a fine drive, good approaches and a fine putt, holing out in 5 and halving the hole with Miss Curtis.

With the score six up for Miss Osgood and six to play, Miss Osgood needed only to win or halve one more hole. Miss Curtis drove strongly, and by clever approaching and putting holed out in 4. It looked for a minute as though Miss Curtis's rally might give her another chance for the match. Miss Osgood drove well, but fell short on her approach. Miss Curtis's stock rose. But Miss Osgood made a twelve-foot putt that rolled nicely, fell in and enabled Miss Osgood to halve the hole and win the match and tournament.

With the score six up for Miss Osgood and five to play, the remaining holes were not played. Score by strokes:

Miss Osgood—									
Out	5	5	3	5	7	6	2	5	—36
In	4	5	5	4	5	4	2	5	—34
Miss Curtis—									
Out	7	6	4	3	7	7	3	5	—38
In	6	5	5	5	6	4	2	5	—38

Five holes not played.

ENGLISH GET OFFICIAL YES

LONDON, June 4.—The official acceptance of the challenge sent by the Oxford University Athletic Club, on behalf of Oxford and Cambridge universities, to Harvard and Yale for an athletic meeting in London this Summer, has been received by cable.

The meeting will be subject to the conditions governing previous similar contests. The British university authorities say there will be no difficulty in meeting the wishes expressed by the Harvard and Yale associations.

CAFES AT FAIR BAR NEGROES

ST. LOUIS, June 4.—Colored persons are barred from restaurants on the fair grounds. A negro cannot buy a glass of beer, a sandwich or a meal within the precincts, though he may use the public drinking fountains freely. Restaurant keepers say they have to choose between black and white trade, and the white trade is more lucrative.

An effort was made to institute a negro club in the fashionable west end of town this Spring. Circulars were sent broadcast throughout the land that the negroes could have rooms in a fashionable hotel, with a theatre attachment and many elaborate luxuries, at a moderate rate, by paying $5 membership to a club. The white residents of the district held a mass meeting, employed lawyers, and found a way to put the scheme out of business.

BOSTON WOMAN AMONG INJURED

KANSAS CITY, June 4.—By the head-on collision of two Missouri Pacific passenger trains near Mastin, twenty-three miles south of Kansas City, one person has been killed and nineteen have been injured, most of latter being passengers. August Bloom of Clear Lake, S. D., who stealing a ride on the blind baggage car was the one killed. Among the injured was Miss Paden of Boston, whose left knee was bruised.

Both trains were behind their schedule and were trying to make up time. The accommodation had orders to take a siding at Mastin, but had not reached that station and was not on a culvert a mile beyond Mastin by the flyer.

Both locomotives were demolished. The day coach on the accommodation train was telescoped, as was the mail car on the flyer. All the cars of both trains were thrown from the track.

SWIFTEST AUTO NOW IN BOSTON

After four months' idleness, the French racing automobile which holds the world's record of forty-two seconds for a mile on a circular track, and in which Louis Renault, the famous autoist, was killed at Bordeaux, is in Boston, owned by William Wallace, a State street insurance broker.

Mr. Wallace bought the machine on his last trip abroad. He intends driving the car himself and of entering many of the big race meets in the Eastern States.

8 BABES' BODIES IN RUBBISH PILE

PENSACOLA, Fla., June 4.—The bodies of eight infants and particles of other human bodies have been discovered in a pile of trash in the western part of the city, and much excitement prevails. It is believed an illegal traffic in infants is being carried on.

Much-Vaunted Cossack, Twice Reinforced, Meets His Match in the Little Brown Man—Jap Shells Now Land in Heart of Port Arthur—Relief Force of 30,000 Turns Back.

LONDON, June 4.—The terrible Cossack of the Russian army has met his superior.

The Japs, according to a dispatch at Tokio from the Japanese commander south of the Yalu, have met the supposedly invincible cavalryman of the Czar's forces and have signally whipped him.

Twice after the first repulse of the Russians they were reinforced, but the Japs, following up their initial advantage, attacked the Cossacks a second and a third time and forced them to retreat.

St. Petersburg circles are astounded at the report and refuse to credit it. The recent dispatches of early Cossack defeats were explained in the statement that the divisions were raw recruits, but, according to the Tokio story, the triple rout just accomplished by the Japs is thought to include Rennenkampff's veterans, who are regarded as the pride of the Russian horse.

CAVALRY LEADS ATTACK.

The engagements occurred between Port Adams and Kai-Ping, on the Liao-Tung peninsula. Japanese cavalry scouting near Chichia-Tung located three Cossack squadrons at Tellissu, and in a combined cavalry and infantry attack routed them.

At Chang-Chia-Tung the retreating Russians were joined by two fresh squadrons and a stand made against the pursuing Japs. The latter, however, were not to be

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GOV. BATES FOR LIFE SENTENCE

Governor John L. Bates, R. I., said, will return without his signature the bill giving to judges the discretion of sentencing a person convicted of murder in the second degree to life imprisonment or to a term of not less than twenty years.

The governor is of the opinion that if such a law would disarrange our whole judicial system. This veto will be number fourteen.

The indications are that Governor Bates will sign the bill to establish the Massachusetts Home for Crippled and Deformed Children. All plans, as well as the selection of site, are practically left to the Governor and Council, as well as the expenditure of the $300,000 which is provided to carry out the provisions of the act.

The Senate expressed, under suspension of the rules, the bill assessing a State tax of $2,500,000.

PRETTIEST EVER AT WELLESLEY

ARE THE GIRLS ON TREE DAY

Wellesley girls are all ready for their postponed "tree" exercises at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Smiling skies have brought smiling faces throughout the college, and the celebration promises to be one of the most notable in the college history.

The Wellesley girl is looking her prettiest. She has on her most stunning frock. Her "pugs" and "mamma" are on hand. Escorting her own brother or some other girl's brother about the college and the beautiful grounds, she is as charming as she can be.

The long tree day procession will march down the college hill and across the green campus. The black-gowned seniors will lead, followed by the juniors in white with garden hats of multi- and yellow pansies. The sophomores will be alluring Kate Greenaways in scant short-waisted gowns and fluttering cap-strings. The freshmen will be all in yellow, their newly-chosen class color.

Miss Annie Orr, senior president, will welcome them. Miss Natalie Smith will deliver the oration to the undergraduates. Miss Jane Breese will read the Tree Day poem.

MRS. BURKE ROCHE SAYS SHE IS NOT ENGAGED

NEWPORT, R. I., June 4.—Reports of engagements between Astor Baltouji, the famous four-in-hand whip, and Mrs. Burke Roche, and between her daughter, Cynthia Roche and Arthur Burden of New York, have both been emphatically denied by Mrs. Burke Roche

JAP SIEGE GUNS NOW THREATEN FORTRESS

ACTUAL PHOTOGRAPHS OF JAPANESE SOLDIERS IN THE FIELD.

In the upper picture is shown a homely scene, a group of Jap warriors enjoying an after-dinner smoke. There is that ease and contentment about them that appeals to every devotee of My Lady Nicotine. A more strenuous scene is shown just below, where the signal corps is engaged in "wig-wagging," no doubt communicating some order of moment from the general-in-chief.

AFTER DINNER SMOKE

This Is the Type of the Soldier That Has Aroused the World.

THE WIG WAG SIGNAL CORPS.

Kwang-Tung Heights Bristle With Guns that Bark at Czar's Citadel.

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denied, and at once gave battle and again drove the Czar's troops.

Again the Russins were reinforced, being joined at Ling-Wang-Miao by five companies of infantry and a battery of horse artillery, but the Muscovites were unable to check the Japanese onstaught, and again saved themselves in flight.

JAP LONG TOMS THREATEN PORT

LONDON, June 4.—Advices from the Far East to-day are important, and indicate the fall of Port Arthur within a very short time.

According to these dispatches the Japanese have driven the Russians back and occupied the first line of the outer fortifications. Reports that another great battle is now in progress are persistent.

The Japanese have emplaced heavy artillery on the Kwang Tung heights, dominating Port Arthur, and are in a position to drop shells into the very heart of the fortress. Reports from Liao-Yang that continuous cannonading has been heard, is believed to indicate that the bombiment of the forts and town from the Kwang Tung heights has begun.

A dispatch from St. Petersburg says that the Russian relief column of 30,000 men, mobilized for the succor of Port Arthur, has turned back. General Kuropatkin was compelled to abandon his plan to aid General Stoessel, owing to the fall of Kin Chou and the landing of Japanese reinforcements.

JAPS TAKE OUTER DEFENCES.

The news of the rapid and surprising achievements of the Japanese on the Kwang-Tung peninsula comes to-day from Tokio. One dispatch says that the Japanese occupied the outer fortifications of Port Arthur, after a feeble resistance. Another dispatch says that four divisions of the Japanese occupy the Kwang-Tung heights with heavy artillery.

The Russian squadron in Port Arthur attempted a sortie, according to this latter dispatch, but was menaced by the Japanese fleet and compelled to turn back.

An interesting bit of news comes from the Tokio correspondent of the Daily News, to the effect that Field Marshal Yamagata has been appointed commander-in-chief of all the Japanese forces. He is expected to take the field, proceeding to the Liao-Tung district shortly.

RUSSIANS ABANDON HOPE?

Dispatches from St. Petersburg say that the authorities there realize that they cannot save Port Arthur and that Russian troops on the peninsula may be withdrawn. Whether or not this is true, it is expected by military experts here that the fall of the Gibraltar of the East is only a question of days.

Open in the hands of the Japanese, according to their repeated declarations, it will be held in them forever.

A Chinaman at Chefoo, recently from Port Arthur, says that the Russian force, inclusive of sailors, numbers 30,000 men only. The four larger vessels of the Russian fleet are undamaged, but all the others are in the hands of the repairers.

15,000 RUSSIANS NEAR KAI PING

LONDON, June 4.—Dispatches to the Morning Post from Shanghai and to the Chronicle from New Chwang repeat the reports of the movement of 15,000 Russians to Kai Ping. The correspondents assert that five days' fighting took place at Liaoyang and that the Russians are employing 4,000 carts to remove munitions from Liao-Yang to Kaiyuen, seventy miles north of Mukden.

COURT PASSED OVER MORALS.

CHICAGO, June 4.—On grounds that Miss Caroline Patterson is "legally competent," and that her moral qualifications cannot be considered by the court, the court has decided against an effort of the heirs of the millionaire contractor, Josiah Clark, to prevent her becoming executrix of his will.

MAYOR APPOINTS HOWES.

Osborne Howes, Executive Secretary of the Boston Board of Fire Underwriters, has been appointed to the new board that will supervise the erection and equipment of buildings in this city. He was named by Mayor Collins, and will represent insurance interests.

HOTEL IN MEDFORD SOLD.

The Evelyn House, on Pleasant street, West Medford, near the Boston & Maine's Southern Division station, a four-story structure, with forty-four rooms, and assessed for $18,000, has been bought by Bernard McCullar, of Providence, for investment.

HADLEY DOESN'T SIGN FOR FILIPINO LIBERTY

NEW HAVEN, Ct., June 4.—Dean Henry Wade Rogers, of the Yale Law School, heads the list of Yale professors who have signed a petition to both the national Democratic and Republican conventions requesting them to put a pledge into their platforms to give the Philippines ultimate independence. President Hadley did not sign it.

"An American Millionairess Among the Cannibals."
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LETTER TELLS WHERE TO FIND GIRL'S BODY

WINSTED, Conn., June 4.—People in this city are greatly excited over a letter found corked in a bottle in Lake Wonomscopomuc by Miss Ada Burthalomew, in which Miss Elizabeth Elder says her body can be found in the lake. The letter says the writer is tired of life. A spot where the lake is seventy-eight feet deep is designated.

LONDON LAUDS GOLFER TRAVIS

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has opened a new era in a game which henceforth will be an international one."

The Daily News calls it "another Bunker Hill."

The Daily Graphic incidentally expresses regret that a dispute has arisen out of the Palma contest, and hopes that, although General Spencer may be right on the point that an official protest was not made at the time, some proper acknowledgment of the breach of etiquette will be given, so that other national teams may reserve their decision not to compete again.

The Daily Express also, in commenting on the golf result, expresses regret that the Palma dispute has arisen, because, it says:

"However much in the right, technically speaking, we may be, there is no doubt the question would never have occurred had the Americans been beaten."

Both Men Long Drivers.

Oddly enough the finalists are accredited with the two longest drives on the books. Blackwell of 387 yards, at St. Andrews, and Travis of 382 yards, at Garden City.

Blackwell last year lost in the fourth round of the amateur championship to H. E. Hambro of St. George's, but the match was carried to the twenty-first hole. It is the first time he has been in the final. At the St. Andrews spring meeting three weeks ago Blackwell was a disappointment. R. Maxwell winning in seventy-nine, for after a good start Blackwell did not better than eighty-four.

Blackwell is well known in America, for he was ranching in the West for many years, leaving Scotland as a young man and returning to his home about 1891.

DIAMOND QUEEN AT SHERBORN

Given Indefinite Term

Fascinating Marie Adams, the notorious shoplifter, known to the police of several cities as the "Diamond Queen" and married of other titles, was given an indefinite sentence at Sherborn to-day by Judge Bond, of the Superior Criminal Court.

The "Diamond Queen" was arrested last December in Bigelow & Kennard's Washington street store for theft of a valuable diamond ring.

Of exceptions, after being convicted by a jury, the case was taken before the full bench of the Supreme Court, which last Saturday decided that the original conviction must stand. Her ground for appeal was a most novel one. She claimed her husband forced her to steal the ring. The court ruled, however, that it was a deliberate theft on her part.

TAUNTON R.R. SHOPS DOOMED

It is said that the discharge of the sixty-five men employed in the Taunton roundhouse of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad and the removal of all work to the Norwood shops is the first step in the policy of centralizing the shop work of the road contemplated when the extensive plant at Norwood was acquired some time ago.

The bulletin posted in Taunton was a complete surprise to the men.

MISS ROOSEVELT GIVES OUT ATHLETIC MEDALS

ST. LOUIS, June 4.—Athletes from all parts of the country, many of them holders of world's records, attended the championship events of the A. A. U. to-day.

President Roosevelt is the honorary president of the Olympic games, and Miss Roosevelt was requested to represent her father. She presented the medal to winners of the senior championships.

TRYING TO FIX BLAME FOR STEAMER CRASH

CAPTAINS OF BOTH HALIFAX AND REPUBLIC THINK THE OTHER RESPONSIBLE.

An investigation is being made to-day by the officials of the two companies to fix the responsibility for the collision in the Narrows between the Plant line steamer Halifax and the White Star liner Republic as a result of which the former and much smaller of the vessels was jammed ashore, where she struck from 6 o'clock last evening until nearly 1 o'clock this morning.

As the two boats were flying the British flag the matter will finally come before the British Board of Steamship Investigation for adjustment.

The greatest excitement prevailed on board the Halifax when she was struck. Several women became hysterical and some of them fainted. W. R. Gay, of No. 28 Hammond street, who was standing in the stern of the vessel, was thrown against the railing, and had one of his hands badly lacerated. The five-year-old son of Mrs. A. G. McCubrey, of Halifax, who was standing on a settee, was hurled from his place, and but for the timely aid of an officer of the boat the boy would have been thrown overboard. Many of the passengers were thrown to the deck and suffered severe bruises.

Narrowest Part of Channel.

The vessel was not badly damaged, escaping with the smashing of some stanchions. As the accident occurred near Bug Light, the narrowest part of the channel, and the impact of the two vessels was so severe that the smaller boat heeled so that her port rail was nearly on a level with the water, what might have been a great catastrophe was narrowly averted.

The captain of either vessel blames the other for the collision. The passengers of the Halifax, however, drew up a resolution, which was signed by all aboard, to the effect that Captain Ellis, of that vessel, was not in the least to blame, but that the Republic was handled in a reckless manner. This is the resolution:

Claimed Right of Way.

J. A. Flanders, who is in the Boston agent of the Halifax, after hearing from the captain how the accident occurred, made this statement:

"Our boat clearly had the right of way, as she entered the Narrows in the lead of the Republic. It seems to have been a very unwise move on the part of the pilot to attempt to pass the Halifax at this point, where the channel is narrowest There was no exchange of signals, as none were needed. When the Republic attempted to pass her tremendous suction simply drew the lighter Halifax to her and then shoved her ashore."

This is the explanation of Captain J. McAuley of the Republic:

"A collision of the nature of this one is without precedent in my experience. It seemed to both the pilot and the officers that we were well past the Halifax. Suddenly, however, she seemed to swing forward us, and in a moment her port bow had struck us on the starboard side. The Halifax seemed fairly to rebound from us and immediately grounded off Lovell's Island. We suffered no injury, so far as I know, and there was no hint of excitement among the passengers."

Rebounded After Collision.

The White Star line officials gave out the following statement:

"Our steamer was slightly in the lead when we entered the Narrows, after a race up the harbor in the face of a swift outgoing tide.

"The tide caught the bow of the Halifax and threw it against the stern of our Republic.

"The Halifax rebounded after the collision and the tide rushing in between caused it to shear off toward the land, and she went ashore on Lovell's Island."

CONSERVATORY GIRLS' OUTING

To anybody who was in the vicinity of Snow's Arch Wharf about 11 o'clock this morning, it would have been unnecessary to explain that the "We" was the 500 or more students of the New England Conservatory of Music, who embarked this morning on their annual trip down the harbor to Nantasket Point.

As the band played a stirring march the Boston Harbor Company's boat, "Pleasure Bay," gaily decorated, started on the voyage.

During the stop at Nantasket Point lunch was will be served and an hour or so will be spent in merry-making.

About one hundred "mere men," who figured in the minor roles of brothers, husbands, instructors and sweethearts, accompanied the girls.

HEIFER CATCHES FISH.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., June 4.—John Stupbin, a Franklin Park farmer, asked the police to help him find a pet heifer, which, he declared, was a great fish catcher. The heifer was found beside a pond watching for fish.

GIRL WITH HIM IN HIS FLIGHT

A general search is being made throughout Boston to-day by the police for Napier Milne, alias Nappy Mullen, wanted at Manchester, N. H., for robbing the cash register of the Lake Breeze Hotel, where he was employed. Milne took a train for Boston, accompanied by a young woman.

Milne is well known to the police of Boston, having been arrested on several occasions in connection with "grafting" schemes at race tracks and county fairs. He left behind in his flight a wife and three children at Manchester.

SIGHT-SEEING FATAL IN "FIGHTING FLAMES"

NEW YORK, June 4.—William Taylor, of No. 831 De Kalb avenue, Brooklyn, died in the Brooklyn Hospital to-day from injuries received at Luna Park, Coney Island. Taylor was employed as one of the sightseers in "Fighting the Flames." He was standing near the flames when one of the fire engines ran over him. He was injured internally and death resulted.

EMMONS WILL TRY TO MAKE BOSTON DRY

Elists for Fight Which Anti-Saloon League Has Begun For No-License.

CAMPAIGNERS JUBILANT

Judge Emmons has joined the campaigners who are going to fight the saloons in Boston, and the men who hope that Boston will vote for no license this fall are jubilant. He is the chairman of the Police Board, and every saloonkeeper must obtain a license from this board before he can open his doors. Every liquor license issued while he is in office must bear his signature, and when the saloon men heard today that he was to speak at the Anti-Saloon League meeting to be held in People's Temple, Columbus avenue, at 10:30 o'clock to-morrow morning, they began to regard as serious the agitation to drive them out of business.

While the law may force Judge Emmons, in an official capacity, to sign his name to a liquor license, he is free to use his tongue in public as he chooses. His being announced as one of the speakers at the People's Temperance meeting notifies the public as to his personal sentiments in regard to barrooms.

To Make Boston Dry.

The League proposes to try to close *every* bar in Boston. It believes that with Judge Emons at the head of the Police Board, Boston will be the driest city on the continent if the citizens vote "No."

Superintendent M. J. Fanning, of the League, will be the other speaker at the people's Temple meeting, and in the afternoon they both will be heard addressing a rally in St. Patrick's Parochial School Hall, Mt. Pleasant avenue, Roxbury. Tomorrow evening they will speak at the Eliot Congregational Church, No. 32 Kenilworth street, Roxbury. The fourth League meeting to be held to-morrow will be in the Broadway Universalist Church, South Boston, where Mr. Thomas H. Reed, of Harvard University, will speak.

Campaign Fund Also.

These meetings are the beginning of a campaign which will be opened formally in Tremont Temple on Thursday nxt, when the first annual convention of the Massachusetts Anti-Saloon League will be held. In the evening a mass meeting will be held there, and the Rev. John Fletcher Brant, Superintendent Fanning, Robert Luce and the Rev. Dr. Frank A. Wakefield will address the gathering.

It is said that the foes of the saloon are collecting a formidable campaign fund.

ANCIENTS ARE 266 YEARS OLD

To Celebrate Next Week When

The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston will celebrate on next Monday the 266th anniversary of its organization. At 3 o'clock the members of the company will assemble at the headquarters in Faneuil Hall with 150 invited guests, members of other crack military organizations from different cities, including the Old Guard of New York City.

The parade to the Old South Church will pass the State House, where it will be joined by Governor Bates. There will be a special order of service at the church. The Right Rev. William Lawrence, bishop of Massachusetts, will preach the sermon.

From the church the march will be continued to the Common, where the election of officers will take place.

Returning to Faneuil Hall the members and their guests will sit down to a banquet. Among the speakers will be Bishop Lawrence, Collector of the Port Lyman, representing President Roosevelt; Lieutenant-Governor Curtis Guild, Jr., Mayor Patrick A. Collins, and President Eliot, of Harvard.

CAN DECIDE AS TO QUAY'S PLACE.

HARRISBURG, Pa., June 4. Insurance commissioner Durham, who has returned from the Pacific coast, passed through Harrisburg this morning. Mr. Durham's pronouncement depends John P. Elkins candidacy to succeed Quay as United States senator. Mr. Durham said he would not declare for anybody until he had a conference with his friends.

TAFT DEAD IN NOVA SCOTIA.

HALIFAX, N. S., June 4.—Arthur R. Taft, of Worcester, Mass., has died at Barrington, N. S., aged thirty-five. He was on his way to Lockport and Port Mills for a vacation.

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MOB BESIEGES THE HOUSE

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 4.—Hannah Elias, the negress John R. Hart is suing to recover nearly $700,000, which he says he got from him by blackmail, may leave the State between midnight to-night and midnight Sunday if she so desires. The order of arrest issued by Justice Dugrow, of the Supreme Court, in connection with the suit, cannot be served during the hours mentioned. The woman can defy the officers who have been trying to arrest her all week, and can leave her house in defiance of the court without fear of molestation.

There is only one way to prevent Mrs. Elias's escape, and that is by criminal proceedings. Should such action be taken to-day the woman can be arrested at once.

Excitement Continues.

In the meantime excitement in front of the Elias home is intense. A crowd, which fluctuates from 500 to 1,000 persons blocks the sidewalk, and the police from two stations make frequent charges to disperse the mob, but after each charge back the mob is soon as thick as ever.

Then there are policemen, newspaper men, women and children in addition. Policemen, the number of whom was increased to-day, have charged the crowd repeatedly, but as soon as the charge is over the hangers-on are back again. It is such a scene as this city has seldom witnessed.

Seven policemen were added to-day to the force that has been watching the Elias house. The experience of yesterday, when the police were utterly unable to cope with the crowd that gathered in front of the house, resulted in the staid householders in the neighborhood sending to the West Sixty-eighth street station for more men. They were supplied and this number will be maintained until the excitement abates. All through the night the crowd remained, and early to-day it seemed for a time as though there would be a riot when a cordon of negroes, who had been on some sort of a jollification in Harlem, had the car stopped in front of the house, making the morning air ribbon with their cries and jibes hurled at the detectives.

"William Elias" Known.

The mysterious William Elias mentioned in the birth certificate of Hannah Elias's seven-weeks-old child, Muriel Consuelo Elias, is the son of a well-known merchant in this city, and is himself well known. Ever since the facts in the suit of John R. Hart against Hannah Elias to recover $685,385 alleged blackmail this young man has been trembling with fear lest his name be brought into the case, and at the present time it is said that his fears are likely to be realized.

MILITIA CAMP OPENS JUNE 11

Militia camp season at Framingham will open June 11 with B Battery, First Battalion, Light Infantry, M. V. M., of Worcester. The battery will be in camp June 11 to 18 inclusive.

Captain Edward B. Wheeler, of Worcester, commanding B Battery, has received orders for his command to report at its armory in Worcester at 5:30 p. m., June 11, uniformed and equipped for the eight days' tour.

Excerpts from the order are:

Working suits, campaign hats, blue shirts and leggings will be worn.

Passes for enlisted men to leave camp will be issued only on urgent necessity.

No baggage will be allowed in quarters, other than camp chests and stools.

All drills and exercises must be attended unless excused by the surgeon, and any man missing them will be liable to extra duty.

Civilians will not be allowed to remain in camp over night with enlisted men, and all enlisted men must remain in their own quarters from 10 o'clock to reveille.

Men absent from this tour of duty will be reported as absent without leave, and will be dealt with according to law.

HANOVER PRINCESS DIES AT GMUNDEN

BERLIN, June 4.—Princess Mary Ernestine, of Hanover, the second sister of the ruling Duke Ernest Augustus of Cumberland and Brunswick, died at her palace at Gmunden to-day.

The Princess was born at Hanover on Dec. 12, 1843.

King Christian of Denmark and other notables were at Gmunden for the wedding of the Princess Alexandra to the Duke of Mecklenburg. The ceremonies may be postponed.

"MURDERED" MAN BACK TO TOWN, ALIVE AND WELL

WINCHESTER, Va., June 4.—While several hundred people searched continuously night and day since last Monday to find the body of Ashby Pugh, who was supposed to have been murdered, and while five men languished in jail on suspicion of having the murderers, Pugh came into town alive and well. He had been hiding in the mountains east of Berryville.

The finding of his body might have caused much violence against the prisoners. Now there is indignation against Pugh.

NEW YORK DOCTOR ASSAULTED BY THUGS

BUFFALO, N. Y., June 4.—Last night at 9 o'clock a murderous assault was made on Dr. Frederick Hayes, in his Broadway office by three desperate thugs. Finding an attempt was made to rob the physician as he lay on the floor. Mrs. Hayes entered the doctor's office, and her screams frightened the thugs and they made their escape.

DECLINES GARDNER CALL FOR GERMANTOWN CHURCH

PITCHBURG, June 4.—Rev. John B. Whiteman, curate at Christ church, who was ordained to the priesthood Sunday, announces his decline of the call extended to him by St. Paul's church, Gardner, and will accept a call to the curacy at Calvary church, Germantown, Penn., of which church Rev. James DeWolfe Perry, father of the retiring rector of Christ church, is rector.

OMAHA POLICY KING IMMUNE FROM ARREST

OMAHA, June 4.—United States Marshal Christian, of Iowa, was served with an injunction preventing the arrest of Tom Dennison, the Omaha policy king, political boss and gambler, who is under indictment in Iowa for complicity in the famous Pollack diamond robbery.

BRAINTREE'S BIG OPEN-AIR DOG SHOW A SOCIETY EVENT

Ladies' Kennel Association Has Fine Exhibition of Prize Winners.

Women Act with Men as Judges and Manage the Affair.

Members of the Ladies' Kennel Association have every reason to feel proud today over the immense success of their initial bench show at Braintree. In every respect the show was pronounced a success, and the increased attendance to-day showed the interest society takes in the breeding of fine dogs.

The animals selected as prize winners were surrounded all day by an admiring crowd, women predominating. The Boston terriers were apparently favorites over all other classes. The Deerwold farm exhibit was a particularly fine one.

Lawson Dogs Win.

Another was the Lawson group of four-teen dogs, including four toy spaniels. The competition was keen between the Lawson dogs and those from the Codman kennel, of Providence. The Lawson dogs won.

Other prominent exhibitors were Mrs. F. Senn, of New York, the Raynham kennels of Ardsley-on-Hudson, the Tamnenid kennels, of Allentown, Pa., the Kerry kennels, of Manhasset, L. I., the Wakefield Kennels, of Wakefield, R. I., the Sandown kennels, and the York kennels, of New York.

The judges continued their work to-day with a luncheon, and much praise was bestowed on Mrs. H. D. Seagrave, the president, and her assistants for the success which had crowned their efforts. The officers of the association are:

Mrs. E. H. Seagrave, president; Miss Fanny Brooks, first vice-president; Mrs. Josiah Speed, second vice-president; Mrs. Fred H. Speed, secretary; Mrs. E. W. Clark, treasurer; Mrs. L. W. Frazer, Mrs. Charles Whitney, Mrs. Benjamin Dow, executive committee; Mrs. Charles Whitney, Mrs. E. H. Seagrave, chairman; Miss Fanny Brooks, Mrs. Frank L. Boden, Mrs. E. W. Clark, treasurer; Mrs. E. E. Thayer, Mrs. Charles Whitney, Mrs. Benjamin Dow, Mrs. Fred H. Speed, secretary; Mr. Barry W. Lacy, honorary manager; Dr. W. L. Peterson, veterinarian.

Women for Judges.

Those who acted as judges included Miss Ann H. Whitney, Lancaster, Mass.; Mr. Reynolds, Great Danes, Newfoundlands and pugs; Mr. C. F. Sullivan, Boston, Boston terriers; Mr. Charles Hickey, Milton, mastiffs and Yorkshire terriers; Mr. George Bowman, Dogwell, bulldogs; Mr. Lacy, collies and sundry classes; Mr. Frederick Gerrett, Boston, toy spaniels; Dr. Peterson, St. Bernards; Mr. Harry W. Lacy, Newfoundlands; Mr. James Mortimer Remington, L. I., all other breeds.

ORGANIZE TO EXPOSE RUSSIA'S HOME RULE

"Friends of Russian Freedom" is the name of an organization just formed in Boston to tell about the condition of the "common people" in Russia and to stir up public sentiment here.

Meyer Bloomfield, head of the Civic Service House on Salem street, is secretary of the association.

Miss Alice Stone Blackwell is prominent in the movement. William Foulke is president, Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, William Lloyd Garrison and Professor William C. Ward are vice-presidents, and Reidd Charles Fleischer is treasurer.

WATTERSON IS FOR M'CLELLAN

Thinks N. Y. Mayor and John A. Black Could Carry Presidential Election.

NO FEAR OF CLEVELAND

CHICKASHA, I. T., June 4.—Henry Watterson, of Kentucky, while stopping here on his way to Kingfisher, during an interview, said:

"I favor the nomination of Mayor George B. McClellan, of New York, for President, and John A. Black, of Illinois, for Vice-President. They would carry the States of New York, New Jersey, Delaware, Indiana, Illinois and Wisconsin, which would be more than enough to elect.

"There is no danger of Cleveland. He stands no chance if he should be nominated. There isn't much difference between Cleveland and Roosevelt. The only ground for choice would be that Cleveland is older and might die sooner."

MISSION SHIP ISCHRISTENED

"Morning Star" Dedicated to Gospel Work in the Sandwich Islands.

SAILS EARLY NEXT WEEK

The dedication of the American Board's new missionary ship, Morning Star, and the farewell services previous to her departure for the Sandwich Islands via the Suez Canal, were held this morning in the open air on the deck of the boat, which is lying at the north side of Commercial wharf.

The Hon. J. M. W. Hall spoke of the purchase of the Morning Star, which is the fifth of the name to be used by the board. The Rev. Judson Smith, D. D., then spoke of the ship's voyage and permanent service.

The hymn, "Wake, Isles of the South," followed. This hymn was sung in Park Street Church in November, 1819, when the first missionaries were about to sail for the Sandwich Islands.

A prayer of dedication and farewell was then offered by the Rev. Hiram Bingham, of Honolulu, who was captain of the second "Morning Star," and some time ago translated the whole Bible into the language of the Gilbert Islands.

The Morning Star will be commanded by Captain Garland, accompanied by his wife. The other "Morning Stars" all have gone around Cape Horn. The new one will probably sail Monday or Tuesday.

BOOKMAKER YOUNG IS A SUICIDE

Ex-Athlete Well Known in Boston, Shot Himself in New York Hansom.

ACCOMPANIED BY WOMAN

A dispatch by leased wire to the BOSTON AMERICAN from New York announces the sensational suicide there today of Caesar Young, well known to the old time Boston athletes, but of late years a prominent bookmaker on Eastern race tracks.

Young shot himself in the left breast while riding in a hansom with a young woman, at Fourth avenue and West Broadway. He died a few minutes after he was taken to the Hudson Street Hospital.

The young woman who was with him gave her name as Pearl Patterson, of No. 124 Lenox and said she lived at the St. Paul Hotel, at Sixtieth street and Columbus avenue, New York.

Was Star Athlete.

In the old days of the famous Manhattan Athletic Club of New York, Young was one of its star athletes. He was noted as a half-mile runner, and when the "Cherry Diamond" organization sent teams to Boston, Young was always a member.

He had not been on the track competition for more than ten years. An Englishman by birth, he came to this country about 1887, and after his retirement he went to California, where he became a follower of the race tracks, and in a short time accumulated a stable of race horses, with which he was successful.

It is estimated that he possessed a fortune of several hundred thousand dollars.

Suffered Big Losses?

Young was married. His wife is residing in Menlo Park. It is thought that Young has been heavily hit in making books recently, and that he determined to get away with himself, as he told Mrs. Patterson this morning that he was going, and that she might never see him again.

Mrs. Patterson is in a hysterical state and little can be learned from her. The cab driver, Frederick Michaels, and Mrs. Patterson are in the custody of the police, pending an investigation by the coroner.

$1,820 In Pockets.

In young's pockets was found $1,820 in cash and three letters from his wife. Young's watch, cigar cutter and collar buttons were studded with diamonds, and he wore a big diamond ring. His residence in this city was at the Hoffman House.

Mrs. Patterson said that she was a widow, twenty-four years old, that they were on their way to meet Young's wife at the Grand Central Station, and also said that Young and his wife were going to Europe on the morning. Little more could be learned from her because of her hysterical condition.

After the shooting Young fell with his head in Mrs. Patterson's lap, and was thus found dying by a policeman who had been notified.

$50,000 In One Race.

In Young's pockets was found $1,820 in several years ago when he secured Bonie, which won the Burns handicap a big California stake race. Mrs. Young then a bride, trained the horse. Nearly $50,000 was won on the race.

Young brought a string of horses east with him, when he came here about a month ago. The noted pacer of them are Cumard and Waterwave. Young at one time was associated with Jim Myers, the former sprinter, in the management of poolrooms at New Haven and other New England cities.

BROOKLYN LAWYER MISSING SINCE MAY 15

NEW YORK, June 4.—Albert W. S. Proctor, a lawyer, with offices in the Arbuckle building, court street, Brooklyn, has been missing from his home, No. 24 Hendrix street, since May 15. His wife can give no reason for his absence.

SCORED JURY FOR FLIRTING

ST. LOIS, June 4.—"It is strange," declared Judge Taylor yesterday, "that a jury cannot try a woman defendant as impartially as it can a man. It is a pity that a sickening flirtation between jurors and the defendant in a criminal case has the power in this court to defeat the ends of justice."

The statement followed the announcement of a jury that it had found Maude Williams not guilty of a charge of grand larceny. Judge Taylor's rebuke followed a scathing sarcastic speech of "thanks" by Assistant Circuit Attorney C. Orrick Bishop.

"Gentlemen of the jury," he said, "I thank you for your verdict. I thank you in the name of all that is lawless and shameless in crime and criminals. I thank you for the discriminating taste you have shown for the high order of citizenship which you have displayed—in being influenced by your sympathy by a pretty woman's winks and a glimpse of a bit of openwork stockings. You are a credit to your class."

The woman was charged with robbing Alden Muller, a railer, of $200.

NAVY DESERTER WAS DROWNED

NEW YORK, June 4.—Elmer S. Lewis, of Cleveland, a sailor on the battleship Kentucky, lying at the New York navy yard, who escaped from the brig on that vessel and jumped overboard, lost his life in the attempt to get away. His body has just been recovered.

The man had been imprisoned under orders from Washington, which said he was wanted in Manila on a civil charge. The Kentucky recently arrived here from the Philippines.

During the night of Lewis's escape, a shore boat with three men was seen hanging about near the battleship. The men rowed around for an hour and were finally ordered away by the ship's officers. It is thought the men were friends of the prisoner and were expecting to pick him up.

FAIR AND COOL, SAYS MR. SMITH

"Well, young man, the best I can give is fair to day and Sunday, with light easterly winds. Cool this evening. Th e is no hot wave in sight, so far as we can see now. The temperature will not rise above 70 in and about Boston until there is a change of wind, which will be in a couple of days. The general tendency all over the country is toward moderately warmer weather, but not hot, weather Sunday will be slightly warmer."

This statement was made to the AMERICAN reporter by Forecaster Smith this noon.

For New England the predictions are for fair weather to day and Sunday, cooler in Maine. Sunday, in Connecticut, New England, except showers and warmer in northern New England.

At noon to-day the highest temperature was 87 at Jupiter, Fla., on the southeast coast of Florida, where the mercury jumped to 82. The lowest was 46 at Edmonton, in the Canadian Northwest, where the natives are wearing furs and overcoats and indulging in hot drinks. It registers 42 at Kamloops, in the same latitude.

There are slight disturbances throughout the Dakotas of the country, and thunderous, scattered showers and thunder storms.

MARINE FIREMEN MAY CALL OUT 18,000 MEN

STEAMER TIE-UP FROM PORTLAND TO NEW ORLEANS IS NOW THREATENED.

A dispatch from New York says that the executive board of the Atlantic Coast Marine Firemen's Union has decided to call a strike on next Tuesday, unless the companies decide to accede to the demands of the firemen.

This strike threat extends to the nine lines entering Boston, with 4,000 men; the five lines in Baltimore, with 1,500 men; the three in Philadelphia, with 500 men, and the nine in Norfolk, with 600 men; the nine lines in New York, with 12,000 men.

In all, thirty-five lines would be involved, and 18,000 men would be thrown out of work.

Fully as far reaching in its importance was the announcement that Lawrence J. Curran, International President of the Freight Handlers, had agreed to call out all his men on the lines the firemen might strike. James T. Mahoney, of Boston, secretary of the Executive Board of the Firemen's Union, said to-day:

"The strike will affect every coast-going steamer between Portland and New Orleans. The actual number of men which this order will affect is about 18,000, to say nothing of the men who can be called out on sympathetic strike.

"President Curran of the Freight Handlers has entered into an alliance with the Atlantic Coast Firemen's Union to stand with them in any demands they make and in the event of the demands being refused he will call out every freight hand under his jurisdiction."

The demands of the firemen are that the "crimps," or the boarding house master, must go; that the wages of the firemen shall be $40 a month, and of oilers and water tenders $45 a month, and of coal passers $35; that none but members of the union shall be employed; that there shall be no change in the number of men employed on any steamer covered by the agreement, and that all complaints in regard to the food, etc., be settled by a committee from the union and the company. It was stated that the Morgan line had already signed an agreement that covered the demands of the firemen's union.

Delegates have been sent to Boston, Norfolk, Baltimore and Philadelphia to lay the terms of the union before the companies.

AMATEUR SPECIAL TOWN SLEUTH WINS $200

Special to the Boston American.

SOUTHBRIDGE, June 4.—For capturing the six men implicated in cutting the American Optical Company's cabled last summer, A. A. Le Clair, of Southbridge, was to-day awarded $200 by the Selectmen. Mr. Le Clair worked out a conversation in a saloon by four men, which caused him to follow them the following night and catch them cutting wires.

FORMER THEATRICAL MAN KILLS HIMSELF

ST. CLOUD, Minn., June 4.—C. F. Elliott, formerly a theatrical manager in Chicago, has killed himself in the dressing room of a theatre.

Elliott's business partner declares that the reason for the suicide was that Elliott had an unfortunate love affair.

Elliott, whose divorced wife is May Hosmer, a ve., known actress, acquired fame in the theatrical field when, in 1880, he introduced the first popular theatre prices

MUSIC, DRILLS, 8 UBLIND PEOPLE.

Pupils who cannot see, and still have cultivated other senses and their intellects to the point of mastering difficult studies, will gather on the stage of the Boston Theatre on Tuesday afternoon next and receive graduation diplomas from the Perkins Institution and Massachusetts School for the Blind

SHIRT WAIST IS EXPELLED

SCHOOL BOY AT NORTHBORO

NORTHBORO, June 4.—Edward Gallagher, of Worcester, a junior in Northboro high school, says he will not apologize to Principal C. L. Judkins for appearing in class in "shirt waist" costume. The "shirt waist" and "suspender" questions are being hotly debated.

The Northboro School Board says that Gallagher cannot return to school until he apologizes. The pupils side mainly with Gallagher, and the dispute threatens to become a local issue.

On a warm day Gallagher walked into one of his classes with his coat off. He had on a neat shirt waist and fancy suspenders. His trousers were held up by a belt.

Boys in the school say the girls appear in shirt waists and they can see why they should not. Gallagher's argument is that if the girls can wear shirt waists and they can't see why they can't.

JAP'S WIFE WIFE DEAD.

NEW YORK, June 4.—Mrs. Otto Fukushima, wife of Fukushima Kanji Carroll, who on April 3, 1900 married the Japanese head of the Trading Company, is dead.

DEVIL FIGHT IN WORCESTER

BY NEW HOLINESS SECT

WORCESTER, June 4. With the fixed determination to drive the devil out of Worcester, Evangelist R. L. Erickson and his band of followers of the Christ Bible Holiness Society arrived in this city last evening, and opened a series of meetings in Mechanics Hall.

The meeting with curiosity, twenty-six men and women attended a meeting of the order of Commonwealth Hall No. 566 Main street, where after an hour passed in listening to Mr. Erickson's talk, it decided the Devil had been in his first grave.

Edward Quinn was the first seized with the idea that the devil was in him, and following the advice of Mr. Erickson jumped over a bench shouting, "The Devil is whipped." Clearing the bench he leaped over three rows of seats without any unnecessary attempt to clear a piano.

Quinn was not in his enthusiasm by members of the Burning Bush Holiness, all of whom, arrayed in white robes, were making fantastic efforts to capture the world's record high jump. Quinn finally fell in a faint and the victory over the Devil was declared complete.

The meeting was adjourned until this evening, when several candidates have announced their intention of taking a fall out of his Satanic Majesty.

5-STORIED.

This China Cabinet is a bargain, and the accent of the bargain comes on the word "convenience." It will stow away more than 300 miscellaneous pieces of china, glass and plate.

It is built in quadrant shape, with the apex of the triangle cut off. It thus becomes a six-sided closet, with windows on three of the sides. Carved glass is used in each of these to heighten the effect. The height is 70 inches and the width 43 inches.

We build this piece in solid oak and solid mahogany. In either case it is solid wood—no veneers being used. The trimmings are of polished brass. Double grooved shelves, knife-edged. Price $67 net.

Very effective for a corner piece.

PAINE FURNITURE CO.

RUGS, DRAPERIES AND FURNITURE

48 CANAL STREET

SPENT $3,500 ON SHEEP BUT BENCHES WAIT

Park Board Will Not Give People a Chance to Rest Themselves.

COUNCIL WILL FIGHT ON

Members of the Common Council are determined that more benches shall be placed in the Common, the Public Garden and the parks in spite of the declaration of the Mayor that there are no available funds.

The Mayor has sent his final declaration to the Council that he can do nothing.

At the next meeting of the Council Thomas F. Fay will attempt to have a special appropriation made for this much needed improvement. He will be backed by Councilman J. Oliver Higgins, who is especially anxious to have benches put in Franklin Field, where there is not a single settee at present.

Should the Council not get a special appropriation for the seats an effort will be made to induce the Superintendent of Public Grounds, Park and Franklin Commissioners to devote some of their appropriations to putting up settees. Councilman Higgins believes the latter is the way in the seats should be procured.

No Money, Says Collins.

Mayor Collins's position in the matter is shown by the following communication to the Council, passed on the 23d, in answer to Councilman Fay's order:

Mayor's Office,
Boston, Mass., June 2, 1904.

To the City Council:

In reply to your order of May 19th, last, which was referred to me, I have to inform the Council that no part of the appropriation for public grounds is applicable for the purchase of additional seats on the Common and Public Garden, and that there is no other appropriation from which such seats can be furnished at the present time. Respectfully,

PATRICK A. COLLINS, Mayor.

At the same meeting at which the Mayor's communication was received, Councilman Higgins, of Ward 24, offered the following order, which was referred to the Mayor:

That the Board of Park Commissioners, through His Honor the Mayor, be requested to place settees at convenient places on Franklin Field for the benefit of the public.

Franklin Field Seatless.

Councilman Higgins, when seen at his law office, No. 68 Pemberton square, said:

"I am thoroughly in accord with the BOSTON AMERICAN in its efforts to get more benches in the parks. They are badly needed and I propose to help the thing along as much as possible.

"I introduced the order about Franklin Field because I come from the ward in which it is situated and there is a crying need there for benches.

"Why, there are more people in Franklin Field on Saturdays and Sundays than in any other park in Boston, and there is not a single settee in the whole ground.

Spend $3,500 on Sheep.

"We deserve to have some seats there, and it is my opinion that the Park Commissioners should be made put the seats there. They talk about not having money for benches when they maintain a flock of sheep at a cost of $3,500 a year for the alleged purpose of keeping the grass down and still they have to mow it with horse mowers.

"Those sheep are a nuisance, and the $3,500 foolishly spent a year on them could better be applied to the purchase of benches for women and children to use in the public pleasure grounds.

"I intend to have the sheep removed and presented a petition to the Commissioners, signed by 500 names of prominent persons, but the sheep remain there.

Up to Doogue, Too.

"I want to say emphatically that the benches on the Common, in the Public Garden and in other parks are inadequate, and the men in charge of them show their incompetence by not providing more benches at once. So far as the Common and the Public Garden are concerned, it is on the superintendent Doogue. He has money enough to get more benches, and he should do it even if he has to skimp in some other direction.

"I am one who does not think that the matter is entirely up to the Mayor—I think that Mr. Doogue and the members of the Park Board should get busy at once and provide more seats."

Of Scriptural Significance.

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

I have seen and read the many complaints and appeals to His Honor the Mayor and Board of Aldermen for more seats on the Common. I wish to say that as it is generally taught by good Christians that this world is but a temporary school to fit us for the true home world, and as governments are but schools to fit us for the higher life, it is not for any but the closest scrutiny to see the reason for the public good, inasmuch as it gives them a foretaste of what they may have to suffer or do in the next world. According to the ninth verse of the seventh chapter of Revelations: "After this I beheld and lo, a great multitude, which no man could number, of all nations, and kindreds, and peoples, and tongues stood before the throne, and before the Lamb, clothed with white robes, and palms in their hands;" and believe it or not, we should find no doubt, but hope to be ever worthy to come in His presence made any sacrifice. So there is no difference; perhaps the honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen will shake the dust of Boston from its shoes.

Saint Paul says: "To him that overcometh will I grant to sit with me in my throne, even as I also overcame, and am set down with my Father in his throne." So see it as opportunity offers, and overcome to have a seat. Remember this, 'tis fault finding that puts the city government to the pledge to stand on the Common. It is good exercise.

PATRICK J. FARRELLY.

No. 82 Willow street, Chelsea.

Says $40,000 Is Available.

Councilman Fay does not believe that all chance is gone to have an adequate supply of benches in the public grounds, despite the reply of the Mayor.

Said he to a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter to-day:

"My order for the immediate appropriation of $5,000 for more benches was referred by the Common Council Thursday night to the Committee on Finance. I believe the action of the committee will be favorable.

"Mayor Collins told me that he was aware of the need of more benches, but that he could not see his way clear to take money from any department to be transferred to the Public Grounds Department for any purpose it being too early in the year to predict just what the effect would be.

"I had intended to talk at length on my order Thursday night, but the meeting was so exciting and prolonged on bridge lives-tightening and other matters that I did not feel like tiring the members further.

"I have information that there is $40,000 which the finance committee can still appropriate for improvements of this kind and I am satisfied that the members will realize the benefit which $5,000 expended as I have requested would be to the working people. The fight is by no means over, you can rest assured of that."

Regarding the report that the Boston Park Department had in storage several hundred old benches Councilman Fay said that he would investigate.

SPRINGFIELD'S TAX RATE.

SPRINGFIELD, June 4.—Springfield's tax rate for 1904 will be $14.60, the same as last year, provided there is no increase in the State tax. The assessors estimate the increase in taxable property at from $1,000,000 to $1,500,000.

CLERK AT HAMPTON HOUSE SHAKES NEW BRIGHAM ALIBI

BRIGHAM IN JAIL AT PORTSMOUTH.

CHARLES E. BRIGHAM.

Denies Brigham Slept There March 1, as He Could Not Without Signing.

Prisoner Declares He Was in Hotel in Friend's Room All That Night.

That Charles E. Brigham, who is under arrest at Portsmouth, N. H., for the murder of aged Celia Marshall Smith on the night of February 29, did not spend the nights of February 29 and March 1 at the Hampton House in this city, as he asserts he did, was stated positively to a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter to-day by H. F. Shields, the day clerk of the hotel.

"Brigham positively did not remain here on those nights with a friend or without a friend," was Mr. Shields's emphatic statement. "No matter whether he was with a friend or not he would have had to register and his name is not on the book. The first time he was in this hotel was on March 5, when he registered as 'C. E. Edwards.' We have only one entrance to the hotel and any stranger coming in here would be seen."

Comes of Good Family.

United States District Attorney Charles F. Hamblett, Brigham's counsel, when seen by an AMERICAN'S reporter, said:

"I have only talked with my client for a few moments. He maintains his innocence, and I am confident he is telling the truth. The boy comes from good stock. I have been acquainted with the family for over twenty years, and his father is a man any one would be proud to know. As for his mother, anyone in Nashua will tell you she is one of the best women who ever reared a family.

"While Charles has been wild in more ways than one, he has never been vicious and is utterly incapable of committing the crime with which he is charged. We will surely prove his innocence.

"I have made no plans for defence as yet, but shall in a few days prepare to get the case my undivided attention."

Sheriff M. W. Collis left the jail at 8.30 last evening and drove to the depot, where he took the evening train for the East. All inquiries at the jail as to his destination were futile, but it is thought that he has gone to Lewiston in connection with a confession made by the prisoner as to the whereabouts of some of his effects.

Brigham brought along as baggage simply a bundle in which was wrapped up an old coat. It is thought that he has confessed to the sheriff where he buried his clothes and other personal property are hidden.

Since his arrival Brigham has assumed an air of nonchalance entirely at variance with his manner during the first few hours following his arrest. He has smoked a pipe and chewed tobacco almost incessantly.

Talks of Hampton House.

To a reporter for the BOSTON AMERICAN, at his cell this morning, Brigham said:

"Why, these fellows here are so tickled to have a chance to get their names in the newspapers that they are perfectly willing to keep up that assumption of sentenced. Every man who has had anything to do with my arrest knows in his own heart that I have a clean, straight alibi, and it is certain to my mind that they have already satisfied themselves as to my whereabouts on the day they allege Mrs. Smith was murdered.

"When informed by the AMERICAN reporter of the denial of John Hayden, night clerk at the Hampton House in Boston, that Brigham had been there on February 1 or March 1, and that the name 'C. E. Edwards' did not appear on the register until March 5, the prisoner said impatiently:

"As a matter of fact, I went to bed in the Hampton House on the first night of my arrival with a friend of mine, a regular guest at the Hampton House, and on the next night I did the same thing. I remembered writing the name 'C. E. Edwards' on the hotel register, but in my confusion following my arrest I must have written it. I wrote the name on the first night of my arrival in Boston, and on the night of March 5th, when I again went to the hotel with a companion.

"I stopped at the hotel February 29, March 1 and 5. Between the nights of March 1 and 5 I was at the house of my aunt, Mrs. E. H. Hooper, who lives at No. 108 Sumner street, East Boston. She knows that I was in Boston, as I called at her home on the morning of March 2. As the trains or trolley cars from London-derry or West Windham could not have taken me from the scene of the murder to the point where I can prove I was, in the few hours after the crime was done, I hardly think the police have such a wonderfully strong case against me after all.

"I am worried more about my forgery cases than anything else. They have got me on the charge all right, but the murder racket makes me tired."

Police say they are going carefully over every portion of Brigham's alibi, and they assert to-day that while they believe he was in Boston immediately after the crime, yet they are satisfied he had sufficient time to arrive there after the murder.

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ALLEGED MURDERER'S SWEETHEART.

Miss Eva Davey is the sweetheart cousin of Charles E. Brigham. She lives with her mother at No. 106 Sumner street, East Boston. Miss Davey declares that on the day Mrs. Celia Marshall Smith was murdered at Londonderry, N. H., Brigham was in Boston, and that he invited her to the theatre on the evening of March 1st. Miss Davey will prove an important factor in establishing Brigham's alibi.

NEWS BY WIRE BRIEFLY TOLD

Pope Pius has ordered the destruction of the Vatican vineyards because the wine is worthless and because he considers it beneath the Papal dignity to speculate in the produce of the apostolic gardens.

Stuart Lindsley, member of a big contracting firm in Orange, N. J., was held up by Italian highwaymen in Montclair Heights and robbed of $800 and a gold watch. He was left bound hand and foot on the railroad track.

Two workmen were killed and several more seriously injured in an explosion in the Monongahela Steel Company's mill at McKeesport.

Three Indiana coal mines are closed and 1,500 miners are idle, according to the four-year old son of Dr. Byers, who is supposed to have been kidnapped by gypsies.

"Big Bill" Devery is among the 175 New York tenement owners who have been cited by the city for alleged violations of the tenement house laws.

Charles Gass, cashier and bookkeeper of the Farmers' Bank in Wayne, Pa., has confessed to the larceny of about $15,000 of the clubs funds. Wall street and the ponies.

William Loeb, the Chicago banker, who disappeared two years ago, leaving his financial affairs in a tangle, died in Uruguay and was buried under an assumed name

Thomas Moore, of Hartford, committed suicide by shooting in Asheville, N. C.

The body of Frank Bernhardt, the Fort Ethan Allen trooper who was found dead Saturday night and was thought to have been murdered, has been sent to Holyoke, Mass., for burial. the military court that investigated the circumstances having decided that death was due to an accident.

Walter Stephen Carter, head of the law firm of Carter, Hughesm, Rounds & Schurman, is dead at his home in Brookline.

The Interstate Commerce Commission will make a general investigation of the private car industry in this country to ascertain whether the railroads cannot be compelled to furnish all the equipments demanded by the shippers.

Nicholas Pierola has announced his candidacy for President of Peru.

J. Frank Hanly, republican nominee for governor in Indiana, has organized a glee club to accompany him on his campaign tour of the State. Hanly is a good "coon song" singer and will help out the club.

Marcia Russo, thirteen years old, and the prettiest girl in the Italian colony, has been kidnapped from her home in New York. She is the fifth Italian girl to disappear in two months.

The cotton market opened weak, 7 to 22 points lower. June, 11.40 bid; July, 11.42 asked; August, 11.18 asked; September, 10.47 bid; October, 10.12@10.15; November, 10.07@10.09; December, 10.03@10.07; January, 10.04@10.05.

It is reported that an engagement has occurred between the British and Thibetan forces, in which the British captured two Thibetan four-pounders.

Forty-two persons at Murcia, Spain, have died as the result of ptomaine poisoning caused by eating canned preserves.

Mundo, a Lisbon newspaper, reports that a French firm promised Miss. Camille, a chanteuse, $20,000 to induce the Portuguese minister of war to give it a contract for artillery. When Miss. Camille flourished the money the scandal leaked out.

A Fall River, James Keating and Henry J. Bergeran, charged with assaulting freight handlers who took strikers' places, had their cases continued until Tuesday.

Carlo De Sigris, one of the proprietors of the Windsor Hotel, Seymour, Conn., was arrested on complaint of Rose Gallagher, of New Haven, a waitress in the hotel, and held in $800.

John S. Silver, who is said to have wheeled thousands of dollars out of New York banks, and who since a bench warrant for his arrest was issued has been living in Connecticut and conducting a brokerage business between Boston and Providence, has been finally arrested in Stonington, Conn., and taken to New York.

Nearly two tons of gold have been taken from the Klondike since May 8. This is a record.

Routine testimony was taken in New York to-day in two foreclosure suits against the United States Shipbuilding Company.

Two destructive blazes are reported in Germany. One at Peissenhausen destroyed 150 houses, while fifty others were also reduced to ashes at Mellen in the province of Pomerania.

West Brookfield people are anxiously awaiting the result of the search for a mail bag that was accidentally thrown into a brook instead of on to the station platform.

Thrown from her team while driving near Danielson, Conn., with her husband, Mrs. C. Champagne was instantly killed.

William L. Keyes, Harry Keyes, Wesley Johnson and Frank Carroll, charged with killing 300 sheep and burning the sheep wagons of Maxwell & Stevens, at Tie Siding, Wyoming, on the night of April 25, have been acquitted.

At the annual field meet of a high school at Bad Axe, Mich., a hammer slipped from the hands of one of the contestants and crushed the skull of A. Frost, a spectator, giving him a fatal injury.

EDNA MAY COMING BACK TO AMERICA

ACTRESS BIDS "DEAR OLD LUNNUN" FAREWELL AND SAILS FOR NATIVE CLIME.

FAMOUS ACTRESS AND HER SISTER.

LONDON, June 4.—Charles Frohman has engaged Fannie Brough to return to New York in September and appear in "Duke Kilkrankie" at the Empire.

Edna May made her final appearance in England prior to a long American engagement, at the Prince of Wales Theatre in "La Poupee" last night. She was enthusiastically cheered and received many bouquets.

GREATER BOSTON NEWS IN SHORT PARAGRAPHS.

Thomas Fallon, thirty-five years old, of No. 128 Charles street, Cambridge, was crushed to death by a block of marble at Hall's Marble Works.

Edward Murphy, twenty-six years old, of No. 25 West Broadway, South Boston, who is supposed to be another of a gang of express thieves, has been arrested.

The Rev. W. T. McElveen, pastor of the Shawmut Church, has returned from Old Point Comfort, and will pass July at Alton Bay and August in the White Mountains.

The Alliance has been ordered in commission at the Boston Navy Yard, and will be sent to Culebra to be used as a station ship.

Jacob Bearson, thirty-five years old, of No. 11 Marginal street, East Boston, fell twenty-five feet from a staging in Roxbury, and was taken unconscious to the City Hospital.

Henry J. Cunningham, of Cambridge, was the principal speaker at the meeting of the Intercolonial Club held in Boston Tavern.

George Berman, thirty years old, of No. 99 Templeton street, Dorchester, is lying at the City Hospital with a broken leg, the result of being kicked by a horse.

Alderman Bromberg and several other delegates have started for the Zionist convention in Cleveland.

The Rogers-Grilley recital for the benefit of the Collis Cowdrey Memorial Home will be given at Roxbury Masonic Temple to-night.

General Benjamin F. Butler's grave in Lowell is to be marked by a monument made by a Boston firm.

John Chisholm, twenty-one years old, of Bent avenue, has been arrested by Inspector Greenleaf, charged with stealing bicycles found in his possession.

The steamship City of Haverhill has been sold by the Boston & Haverhill Steamship Company to a Providence-New York syndicate for use between Providence and Block Island.

The new Cambridge Bridge will block traffic on the Charles River at that point after Jan. 10, on which date the spans will be placed.

Superintendent G. W. Cressey, of Harmony Grove Cemetery, Salem, denies that he was rude to Mrs. Elizabeth Gosse, of Boston, when she cut the grass on the graves of her husband and brother, killed in the war, when, as she says, the cemetery officials had refused to do it.

At the mock session of the House of Representatives, Mr. Keefe, of Fall River, who fathered the anti-spitting bill, was given a cuspidore; Mr. Schofield, of Ipswich, a bag of wind; Mr. Davenport, of Malden, a dead copper moth, and Mr. Parks, of Worcester, a bunch of onions to strengthen the Ways and Means Committee.

COREAN TWINS GOING HOME FOR LIFE STAY

NEW YORK, June 4.—The Xephopagis sailed on the Germania to-day for Southampton. It will make a short stay in London and then settle down for life in Corea. Xephopagis is merely the scientific name for the Coreau twins, now seventeen years old, who have been joined since their birth by a cartilage bond.

LONGLEY, HALE & CO. HAVE DEBT OF $38,018

J. A. Fisher, assignee of the firm of Longley, Hale & Co., estimates their liabilities at $38,018, and the assets between $3,000 and $3,200. The concern was in the banking and brokerage business at 40 Water street.

BISHOP TO LAY CORNER STONE

Will Officiate at Ceremonies at New French Catholic Church at New Bedford Sunday.

BUILDING NEARLY DONE

Special to the Boston American.

NEW BEDFORD, June 4.—With impressive ceremonies and under conditions most propitious, Bishop Stang, of Providence, will lay the cornerstone of St. Anthony's, the new French Catholic Church, in New Bedford to-morrow. The erection of this church and the laying of the cornerstone by the bishop of the diocese practically marks a new era in the Catholic religion in New Bedford.

The parish is composed of French people, and during the past few years has grown to such an extent that the old church building was entirely inadequate to accommodate the many parishioners. The pastor, the Rev. Hermidas Desnoulers, came to New Bedford only a few years ago and has succeeded in building up his church to such an extent that the new edifice was made absolutely necessary. The new church will be larger than the Providence Cathedral. It will be 241 feet long and 135 feet wide, and will accommodate 1,800 people. The tower will be 225 feet in height. The edifice will be built of gray and red brownstone and its style of architecture is French Gothic, a style rarely seen in Catholic churches outside of Canada. Although the cornerstone is just about to be laid, the building proper is fast nearing completion. Part of the ceremonies to-morrow will be held there.

The ceremonies will consist of a procession which will first be reviewed by the bishop and his assistants, followed by the blessing of the spot whereon will be erected the altar, and the walls will be located in the same impressive manner. Bishop Stang will be assisted by Rev. Hugh J. Smith, the vicar-general; Rev. Francis P. Galeoury, and visiting clergymen from all over the State. Rev. Father V. Perrotin, of Fall River, will deliver the sermon in French, and, after an address by the bishop, will speak in English. The musical program in connection with the ceremonies is to be an especial feature.

The corners of the church was taken by the curates last week. There are now 1,156 families, or about 500 parishioners—an increase of ninety families during the year.

TAP UNDER CHIN COST HIM $50

"Tapping his wife gently under the chin" cost J. Percival Moserean, No. 14 Henry street, Medford, $50 fine in Malden Police Court to-day. Mrs. Moserean has a libel for divorce pending.

Asked if she did not hit him with a poker, a stove lifter or a stove shelf, she said:

"I don't remember. I was in so much pain."

"Did you hit your wife?" he was asked.

"I never hit her. I simply tapped her under the chin."

"Why?"

"Just in retaliation."

"How hard did you 'tap' her?"

"Only gently. And when I swung a stove shelf in me, but I took it away from her."

Mrs. Moserean has filed an attachment on Meserean's property in Somerville.

ADMIT BREAK, DENY ASSAULT

Fred Beauthamin and John Sharkey, of Lynn, were held in $200 bonds on the charge of breaking and entering the grocery store of John R. Lee, on Washington street. The case was continued one week. Both pleaded guilty, but denied a charge of assault also made against them by Lee.

Lee had locked up his store on Tuesday night, and takes $200 from the cash drawer, when he heard a noise in the rear. Hurrying back he saw two men, and grappled with them. They were too much for him, however, and made their escape. A description was sent to the Boston police and the men were caught in a box car and taken to Lynn, where Lee identified them.

ROBBED AND SET FIRE TO MALDEN BAKESHOP

Malden police are looking for the combination burglar and firebug, who has been operating in John McKenzie's bakery, 5 Pleasant street, Malden. A recent burglary, when $50 worth of raisins, nuts and coloring matter was stolen, was followed by a fire which damaged the place $400. The fire was incendiary, the police say.

5 Cents Everywhere

HEARST'S BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN

Great Features To-morrow:

NEWEST European methods to reduce flesh and keep it taut, by Dr. Caisarato, the great beauty doctor.

AMERICAN multi-millionairess' hairbreadth escape from South Sea cannibals.

DENY OUSTING ACTING DEAN

Dr. Buell of B. U. Theological Resigned for Ill Health, They Say.

RETAINS PROFESSORSHIPS

Boston University faculty is discussing the resignation of the Rev. Marcus D. Buell, acting head of the B. U. Theological School, who is said to have been "forced out" by the "Modern School" element.

Professor Charles W. Birchell, Dr. Buell's successor, as acting dean, and Dr. Charles Parkhurst, editor of Zion's Herald, who were mentioned as opponents of Dr. Buell, deny any "forcing out."

Professor Birchell says: "The resignation is not due to any division of opinion among the members of the faculty. Dr. Buell has long defended the modern school, and has, in fact, lectured throughout the country on it. For the past few years his health has been failing, till now he is almost broken down. It was on account of this that Dr. Buell resigned. Dr. Buell still holds the chair of New Testament Greek and Exegesis, which subjects he has taught for nearly twenty years."

Dr. Charles Parkhurst, editor of Zion's Herald, says: "Dr. Buell's resignation is simply the result of ill-health and other unavoidable circumstances. I wish to state that it was not through any ill-feeling or effort of those of the Modern School that the resignation of Dr. Buell was brought about. He states himself that after eighteen years of faithful service with Boston University, as dean, I feel compelled on account of ill-health to resign my charge."

Dr. Buell is now at his home in Newburyport, where he has gone to regain his health.

He has been a member of the faculty for nineteen years, and dean for eighteen. Last year ex-President Warren was elected dean, but Dr. Buell did not resign.

The movement to oust Dr. Buell was said to have started last January, immediately after his departure for Mexico. The first intimation that all was not peace and harmony was given in the appointment of ex-President Warren as dean last Spring over Dr. Buell.

BY END OF NEXT WEEK TANGIER EXPECTS TO SEE PRISONERS OF RAISULI RELEASED

PERDICARIS' HOME AND HIS STEPSON CROMWELL VARLEY.

New Photograph of the Perdicaris Home, Stable and Servants' Tents, a Picture of Cromwell Varley, Who Was Kidnapped with Perdicaris, and a Drawing Illustrating the Scene When the Bandits Invaded the House.

American Consul Sends Glad News to Step-Daughter of Ion Perdicaris.

At Sultan's Request, French Vice-Consul Is Now Negotiating with Raisuli.

Special Cable to Boston American.

LONDON, June 4.—Mr. Gummere, the American consul general at Tangier, has telegraphed to the step-daughter of Ion Perdicaris saying he hopes that the captives will soon be released. A dispatch from Tangier says:

"It is stated on excellent authority that the question of the release of Messrs. Perdicaris and Varley, who were captured by the bandit Raisuli, will probably be settled at the end of next week. At the Sultan's request the French vice consul is negotiating with Raisuli.

"The prisoners are well treated. They write to relatives daily."

OJEDA'S WIFE HAD A NARROW ESCAPE

WASHINGTON, June 4.—Senor Don Emilio de Ojeda, the Spanish minister, is congratulating himself that his wife and daughter was not involved in the Perdicaris kidnapping at Tangier. Senor Ojeda, who, for many years, was Spanish minister to Morocco, was an intimate friend of Mr. Perdicaris and frequently visited at his villa, three miles outside of Tangier. Senor Ojeda received a letter from his wife saying that Mr. Perdicaris had asked her to spend the month of May at Tangier.

Mme Ojeda planned to accept the invitation, but the slight illness of her daughter caused her to postpone the visit. Otherwise she would have been at the home at Perdicaris when the bandits overpowered the servants, bound the women and seized Mr. Perdicaris and his stepson, Cromwell Varley, and made off with them in the mountains.

LOST $50,000 BY FAILURE OF HIS BROKERS

How Cashier Smith of New Haven Bank Accounts for Missing Funds.

NAMES YEOMANS AND DILL

Special to the Boston American.

NEW HAVEN, Penn., June 4.—It was learned to-day, when the papers in the case were brought in the National Tradesmens' Bank, against the bankrupt firm of Yeomans & Dill, of New York, as set aside public, that Cashier Smith of the $75,000 which Douglass Smith, former teller of the bank, is alleged to have embezzled, was lost through the collapse of the brokerage firm. The present action is being brought at the personal request of Mr. Smith, who declares he was defrauded out of the money by the brokerage firm.

Smith has confessed that Yeomans & Dill made out deposit slips which a member of the firm was in the habit of handing to Smith and the teller. Smith was expected to place the amounts called for by the slips to the credit of Yeomans & Dill, and Smith says he did this by taking money out of the bank's cash.

This, in brief, was the method. It is not true that Smith ever used the securities of the bank or that he ever hypothecated any of the bank's securities with Yeomans & Dill. The bank's securities are safe. The bank was to-day notified by The Aetna Indemnity Company, in which company the bank was bonded, that the company is ready to pay the bond as soon as proof of loss is made out. This will reduce the bank's actual loss to about $50,000 in round numbers.

Yeomans & Dill, through their attorney, denied all the charges against their firm. They assert that Smith made money in his transactions with them, and that these transactions ended last November.

The bank placed attachments on safe deposit boxes and rush belonging to Yeomans & Dill in banks here and also in Southington.

At the Tradesmen's Bank there was no sign of excitement. The faith of the depositors in the bank has not been shaken in the slightest, and the institution went right on as usual. National Bank Examiner Perkins of Meriden, Conn., has begun the examination for the Government.

NEWPORT POOR LIVE IN LUXURY ON TIPS OF RICH

Money So Plentiful That City's Beggars Wear Silk Hats.

LIVE WITHOUT WORKING

"Five dollars for holding a horse half an hour."

This sort of tipping explains, says Mrs. Harriet E. Thomas, in the publication Charities, why Newport has so many poor, and why some of the poor refuse to work in comparative luxury and have to do no work. Too much money is the final stimulus to pride.

As secretary of the Charity Organization Society, of Newport, she describes in the June Charities the wealth and social ideals of the Allied Benevolent bodies of New York. How the other Half Lives on the Other Half in Newport. She tells in a most striking way how the poor of that city have been beggared by the careless bounty of the rich, and how organized charity and how beggars strut the streets in silk hats. She says:

"To obtain relief from the city down town hall, one is asked questions as a right accompanying citizenship that it rarely falls to the lot of the general public.

Wants All Going.

"This condition of dependency has been fostered by four able assistants—lack of work in Winter, sentimental charity, charitable bequests and the summer visitors.

"One old lady told a visitor that she thought the Church would be ashamed of the Townsend of the dead aged, and asked if there were no other societies one could call upon for help. Another woman said she was born and brought up in Newport, and had a right to all that was given.

"There have been bequests by writing clauses of a few thousand dollars of a parcel of land for the benefit of the poor of Newport, until many of the inhabited place think they are conferring a favor upon the deserving by presenting themselves as fit recipients of this bounty.

Demoralized by Wealth.

"Children make no effort to care for parents in later years because of old left to the city for the aged.

"How the present atmosphere of wealth and extravagance in Newport is described by a lover:

"As the warmer days approach come the wealthy visitors on pleasure bent. Money is so eager to them only when it flies with it something to help fill the passing hour. The poorer citizens are tempted and with the idea that life is all pleasure and ease.

"The story of one household will serve as a type. The man with a family and a small children lived comfortably on his salary of $1,000 a year. He was invited on an occasional day's work. The children learned to expect money asking for it from a richly dressed people. The mother found that money came much easier than much work, and she was no longer anxious to find work for herself when keeping house for others was far more than she could do and enjoy all the pleasures which summer offers.

Gradually Stop Working.

"The father found day labor rather wearing, became a drinker and fished a little between times. When the season's end had departed there were many philanthropic people who were glad to see to it that the hungry were fed.

"If heart strings, purse and streets must be cleaned, and there was a chance for work for one man's family, there was a young term of this family who were silk hats and high colors to go out and shovel snow. There was a city fund for the poor. They could not all be in that.' And they did.

"The true balance between labor and wage is too often lost by the apparent willingness of the wealthy people to pay exorbitantly for small efforts. A recognition of this is the most debasing thing to say a 'poor native' as newcomers to Rhode Island call those of the State.

CHEAPER TO DIE IN BOSTON THAN ANY CITY IN COUNTRY

Funerals Simple and Cost a Bagatelle Beside the $10,000 Expenditure Required to Bury a Member of the Nobility

In one of my recent chronicles I spoke of the number of notables who had been gathered in to the Great Harvester in our week. It was fitting that they should be conducted to their last rest with pomp and ceremony, but the funerals of the two Duchesses of Montpensier have, perhaps, passed the bounds. They were celebrated with an outward display of drapery, flowers, carriages all the "trappings and the trouble of woe." Having had the curiosity to ask the cost of an exhibition of this kind, I was told that it was not less than $10,000, so this large sum necessary to notify to the world the claims of the late duchesses to their aristocracy. Ten thousand dollars spent to tell the public that these ladies had passed the majority of their days in retirement, have been made large, perhaps for life, with this sum, would have given an additional duchess something to regret per cent.—SARCASTS IN CASTILIAN.

THE Marquis De Castellane has written in the BOSTON AMERICAN of the funerals of Duchesses de Montpensier. Both events cost $10,000 each, and, naturally, Bostonians look back over the long list of their dead to see what proportionate sum their funerals cost. But though there have been numerous great men and women laid away here in years gone by, there has never been a really expensive funeral.

Great poets, authors, statesmen, soldiers and millionaires have died here, but Boston has paid her last rites to them in a simple manner. She has made great displays, of course, but the cost has been small compared with the funerals held in even the smaller cities.

Boston Funerals Simple.

This is borne out by the oldest undertaking firm now in business in Boston. Boston is the cheapest city in the country in which to die, say the undertakers. In New York and the Western cities it costs you twice and three times as much.

An adult may be buried here for twenty-five dollars. A baby may be buried for a few dollars. A "swell" funeral is $50. A funeral is $100.

A pretty casket as much as the richness of Bourbonism if they have a mind to right here in Boston. The handsomest casket in the city is the "Parthenon" and it costs $2,500. That is far below the cost of a casket of one of the Duchesses of Bourbonism, but with "extras" its cost would go to $5,000. Such undertakers could line it fitted and covered with solid silver. Then it would be placed in a hearse of marble and rutted with Parisian laces and jewels. Drapers could be procured that would cost thousands of dollars, and then no amount could be expended for flowers undertakers say, and the florists admit it, that the florist realizes 100 per cent more on the man who buries the dead.

Spend Less Each Year.

Lewis Jones, who has been in the undertaking business for forty years, declares Bostonians are spending less and less each year for the burials of their dead. Even in Historical Back Bay high-priced funerals have never been in vogue, and of all the persons of prominence, socially, politically and otherwise, there have been few whose funerals cost more than a thousand dollars. Persons in the middle class expend almost as much as the wealthy.

The casket is an expensive item. The prices range from $2 for a baby's casket, to $2,500 for the "Parthenon." There are more $50 caskets sold than any others.

James L. Eastman and Waterman are the men who have buried Boston's great men and women. The most expensive funeral they recall was that of Brewer Rockefeller, his contributions will be used in missionary work in Cuba.

Cost of Burial Here, According to Class

POOREST—Baby, $16; adult, $23.

MIDDLE—Baby, $35; adult, $150.

WEALTHY—Baby, $50; adult, $300.

PRICE OF CASKETS.

POOREST—Baby, $2; adult, $10.

MIDDLE—Baby, $20; adult, $50.

WEALTHY—Baby, $35; adult, $100.

COST OF FLOWERS.

POOREST—Baby, adults, nothing.

MIDDLE—Baby, $5; adult, $20.

WEALTHY—Baby, $25; adult, $50.

McCormack, who died some twelve years ago and who was laid away in a casket said to have cost $3,000. It was a state draped casket, having sixty-four pounds of silver trimmings.

The casket in which the late President McKinley was laid to rest ordinarily cost $250, but the copper metallic lining made an additional $250, and the tufted laces and silks $150.

"An Heiress's Heart Won By a Cripple."

Love Story of Surpassing Interest Laid in Pittsfield and Lenox. Exclusive in

Hearst's Boston Sunday American 5 Cents Everywhere

RICHARD OLNEY WAS HER PUPIL

OXFORD, June 4.—Richard Olney was her pupil when Miss Elinda Smith taught school in Bufflinville, and she boarded in the family of the lad who was to rise to be Secretary of State and aspirant for the presidency. She died here in the home where she was born on Thursday night and lacked just a month of being ninety-one. She began teaching school more than sixty-five years ago, and took a keen interest in all educational affairs up to her final illness. Her father was a prominent man and held many local offices.

OIL MONEY TO CONVERT CUBA.

LACROSSE, Wis., June 4.—D. W. Holburt, state secretary of the Baptist Association, says John D. Rockefeller had withdrawn his support of $100,000 a year from the Baptist Church. Henceforth, says Mr. Rockefeller, his contributions will be used in missionary work in Cuba.

CALLS TARIFF KIND OF GRAFT

L. R. Ehrich Rouses Free Traders by Comparing It to Garroting.

Protection was referred to as "legalized graft," and every mention of the name of Grover Cleveland was enthusiastically applauded at the banquet of the American Free Trade League in the Vendome.

Harvey N. Shepard, who presided, declared: "We shall win freedom in trade. A protective tariff is an evil out of place in a republic as aristocracy of birth or an established church.

Tariff Breeds Panic.

Louis R. Ehrich, of New York, said: "Protection is legalized 'graft.' It is an insidious scheme by which favored beneficiaries are permitted to pick the pockets of the community while the Government holds the victim down and prevents rescue from the outside.

"Protection directly robs the wage earner. By obstructing foreign trade it diminishes the extent and the remunerativeness of the demand for his services, and it pays those services, just as free silver would in directly have done, with a clipped dollar —that is, a dollar which buys about one-half of what it ought to buy. It is a form of human slavery.

Protection Is a Panic Breeder.

Under its sway the American people can never find an adequate vent for their energies, give to our freemen, standing on free soil, the advantages of free trade, and we will enter into a prosperity which will immeasurably surpass anything we have dreamed of."

The address delivered by Charles Francis Adams, the league's first president, was devoted to an eulogy of Richard Cobden, the great English free trader. The 100th anniversary of whose birth the league was celebrating. Cable messages of greeting were exchanged with the Cobden Club of London.

By President Harvey N. Shepard sat Mr. Adams, Reborn Hewes, the secretary; William Lloyd Garrison, Edward Atkinson, Wendell Warren and Henry Lee Eaton.

Secretary Garrison read letters of regret from Charles Eliot Norton, Goldwin Smith, John DeWitt Warner and John Bigelow, ex-minister to France.

Abolish Custom Houses.

Edward Atkinson also spoke in terms of praise of Cobden, who, he declared, had but half completed his work. The next step would have been the freeing of the land. Mr. Atkinson pointed out that all high tariffs grow up through war. The true methods of protection, he said, was to wipe out obstructions to commerce, insisting that custom houses should be wiped out to protect American labor.

The banquet drew only about 100 persons. Several women were among the diners.

CROWN'S BID TO CART AWAY GARBAGE WINS

Michael Crown, of Neponset, has been awarded a city contract for the removal of garbage in Wards 20 and 24. His bid was lower than the figures of John McShane and Patrick Brophy of Ward 24 and Peter Allen of Ward 20. The last two had the contract last year and are classed as political allies of leader John H. Donovan of Ward 20.

TOOL BOX FLIES; $200 DAMAGE.

As iron tool box, weighing nearly 100 pounds, was thrown off the engine attached to the inward-bound Portland express at the Wyoming station at Melrose, and did nearly $200 damage. The platform was crowded at the time.

BALLOT OF MRS. DUFF IN DOUBT

Supt. Seaver's Promotion of Her Brother Leaves Her Uncertain.

Voting for a superintendent of Boston schools will not take place for several weeks. Delay was assured when a coin toss on nominations decided, after a wrangle, to postpone reporting a candidate until Committeeman Kenny returned from the Knights of Columbus convention in Louisville. He asked the committee to postpone action.

Dr. Harkins, chairman, protested, saying he had invited candidates to appear before the committee before June 15, when Mr. Kenny expects to return. When asked by what authority, Dr. Harkins replied, by that of his office. Mr. Clark intimated that the chairman had some backer might have been asked to put in appearance. This provoked Discord. Mr. Kenny won his point, Mr. Casey and Mr. Clark voted with him, and Dr. Kenyon supported the chairman.

How Mrs. Duff will vote when the School Board places a superintendent is a mooted question. Since her brother was promoted by a unanimous vote of the School Board, her position has been the subject of many curious discussions. There are three leading candidates for the $5,000 office. Among them are the present Superintendent of Brookline and Boston, and Superintendent Frank E. Kendall, Indianapolis; Sickle, Baltimore; Poland, of Newark; Gilbert, of New York, who graduated with Miss Seaver, is writing "Stepping Stones of Literature"; Professor Dutton, of Columbia University; Superintendent Edson, of New York; Superintendent Aldrich, of Brookline, Boston, and Hall River; Prince, of the State Board of Education, and headmasters of several Boston schools.

WATER FRONT NOTES.

The British steamer Benino, Captain Jago, from Manchester, Eng., has arrived with a general cargo, consigned to Frederick Leyland & Company.

Captain Nat Kane, of the barge Combonee, is rapidly recovering from a severe attack of typhoid fever which has confined him to his bed for a few days.

It is rumored that the steamer Henry Wilson, of the quartermaster's department, is to be taken from the service at this port and sent to the Key West station.

The steamer steals of Dewey, Captain Webber, from Progreso, Mexico, with 1,522 bales of hemp, consigned to Charles Eliot Norton, is the first quickest discharges of cargo in the history of the port. She arrived at the berth at 7 a. m. and was ready to sail at 6 p. m. for Baltimore.

The movement of coal arriving at this port during the last month show a decided increase over the corresponding month of last year. During the month of May 239,723 tons of anthracite and 270,167 tons of bituminous coal were brought to this port by sea, while for the same period last year only 177,000 tons of anthracite and 241,478 tons of bituminous coal arrived.

The arrivals of foreign vessels at this port for the past week show a falling off in the number of trips, which is probably due more to the scarcity of grain than to any falling off in the demand for it. The arrivals, according to the figures given out by the Boston Maritime Association, were 5 fleet of eight steamers and two ships. Six barks and forty-one schooners arrived during the week, making a total of fifty-seven vessels, one more than the forty-six vessels reported for the corresponding period last year.

CITY HALL GOSSIP.

The latest joke in City Hall: A public pay station telephone!

Mr. Horowitz of Ward 8 "got his" good and hard at the council meeting. Presidents Dolan and Donovan did not hesitate to make it a spade a spade.

It was a pleasant duty Mayor Collins will perform to-day when he receives the trustees of children to allow persons to visit the Institutions on account of the race week; the faces of several firemen and their friends who were present fell. But when the Council voted to grant the request large smiles appeared, and for a moment it looked as though applause would interrupt the meeting.

TO HEAR FATE FOR PERJURY

Once Wealthy Manufacturer and His Son Will Be Sentenced.

LAWRENCE, June 4.—Samuel Robinson, once a wealthy manufacturer, and his son Herbert, will be sentenced for perjury on Monday. The case against the other son, Benjamin, was dropped. Father and son pleaded guilty to false statements to the Secretary of State as to the liabilities of the Globe Worsted Mills.

In April Robinson represented the Globe Worsted Mills, and his sons were associated with him in the business. The firm lost considerable money in the early days, but they were no deeper in debt than many business men who failed to get out and secure additional loans to the $200,000 at which the Globe stockholders were made to swear to return.

COURT BRIEFS.

Alfred S. Hayes, a lawyer, said Francis Rooney in excuse to professional services and the jury disagreed.

John Sullivan of Charlestown, who is charged with assaulting Michael Kirby in a saloon, was held in $1,000 for the grand jury. He had pleaded guilty.

The Boston Ice Company was in the police court this morning on behalf of Gertrude Klinger, minor, and by his father, Morris, for $5,000 for injuries done to the girl by Attorney Sullivan for loss of services.

Judge Putnam has issued writs of the United States government to the sheriff in the United States district of Massachusetts, to the effect that the property specified in the writs, which is now in the hands of the sheriff, is forfeited to the United States government, and the sheriff is commanded to seize and safely keep the same, and to publish a notice of the seizure and intended forfeiture, and to summon all persons interested in the property to appear before the court and show cause why the forfeiture should not be decreed. The property consists of a number of stills and other apparatus for the manufacture of spirits, and a quantity of spirits, which were seized by the sheriff on a search warrant issued by Commissioner Hayden.

FEDERAL BUILDING.

Judge Putnam has received a visit from Justice Holmes, of the Supreme Court. Justice Holmes will be in Boston for a few days, and will preside over the local Circuit Court of Appeals.

Judge Putnam has also received a visit from Judge Lowell, who has been confined to his home in Roxbury for the past few days with a severe attack of grippe. Judge Lowell was able to be out in the corridors of the building. Every one is glad to welcome him back to his work.

The death of Little A. Valentine, in Worcester, has caused a vacancy in the office of United States commissioner, a position which he has filled in the past office. Miss Valentine was appointed by the district judge to perform the duties which have been a valuable member of the bar, and his death will be a loss to the community.

Clerk Nelson, of the District Court, was taking his vacation this week. Deputy Clerk Hurley was in charge of the office. Mr. Hurley has been appointed to the place to get a valuable experience, and he will undertake the duties of clerk. Mr. Hurley's moderate voice and the voice of a sea captain caused him to start. He informed his master that he had made a mistake in buildings, but the man left under the impression that he was Hurley.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

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FRENCH PEOPLE ARE OBSTINATE

PIUS X.

Pope Defends Honor Cardinal Paid Italian Monarch at Bologna.

By Boston American Leased Wire.

PARIS, June 4.—The Siecle says that it has been authorized to state that the Pope that Catholics were at a loss to reconcile the meeting of Cardinal Svampa and King Victor Emanuel at Bologna on May 30 with the papal note protesting against President Loubet's visit to the King. The Pope, replying, made the following declaration:

"The note was directed only against France. I cannot renounce impressionable rights, as long as no agreement has been concluded. I am not taking part in politics. I am simply doing for Italy what Leo XIII. did for France. He ordered Cardinal Lavigerie to have the Marseillaise played to his diplomatic guests. I required Cardinal Svampa to listen to the royal march in the Town Hall at Bologna.

"The possibility of an understanding between Church and state is mainly dependent upon the example of Germany. That great and powerful country should serve as a model to Italy. The French are an aloof race people, who never ask questions and who only obey when the instructions which they receive are in accord with their own lively interests."

STEERAGE RATE IS CUT TO $10

SOUTHAMPTON, June 4.—The Anchor-age line inaugurated its new cut rate for steerage passage on the big liner Philadelphia, which sailed for New York to-day. Agents here declare that the line will take advantage of the new $10 rate and sailed to-day. Of this number about 600 were Jews who left London. The remainder are Englishmen.

In addition to the new low rates, the American line is making another concession in the form of special Kosher cooks for the Jews. The English will have their own special separate.

DEPEW BARBER COMMISSION.

PAWTUCKET, June 4.—There is much interest in the recognition by the State Barber Commission of the license of Michael Whalen. Chief of Police Rice told Whalen that he would not be under the ban of the board. Whalen keeps no shop open, and says he is acting under advice of his counsel.

MEDFORD PETITIONS AGAIN.

A new petition, drawn up by the Boat Club, has been circulated and signed by nearly every resident of Medford, was yesterday presented to the board of aldermen. It is asked that West Medford be added to the Boston Postal District. It requests that the present system be left intact.

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NEW ENGLAND BOYS WEST POINT CADETS

Among the cadets whom the War Department has pronounced eligible for West Point are a number of New England boys, including: Frederick Bancroft, Worcester; Gotthelf Otter, A. Dickinson, L. W. Mc-Intosh, James H. Cunningham, Theodore Roberts, Jr., Boston; Frederick Bancroft, C. Oakes, Ray L. Avery, of New Hampshire; Robert G. Ward, Jr., Providence; Robert W. Walbron, Lawrence C. Ricker, of Maine.

CRUSHED BY FREIGHT CARS; DEATH RESULTS

John Gilley, thirty-eight years of age, of 104 Dorchester avenue, was crushed between two freight cars at Sargent's wharf, 234 Canal street, last Thursday afternoon, died at the Relief Hospital early next morning. The dead man has no relatives, save a son, Thomas Riley, who is in a position on the United States cruiser Brooklyn, now on its way to Turkey.

HORSES MAKE MAD DASH.

Panic occurred when a four-horse team, owned by Charles Cummings of Woburn, and driven by Julius Fattorossi, made a mad dash through Commercial street, Malden, one of the horses was thrown to the ground and dragged several hundred yards. It had to be shot. The driver escaped with a few bruises.

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DOES GIANT SWING ON A BICYCLE

"HUMAN WHIRLWIND," A FRENCH ATHLETE, HAS A NEW THRILLER.

The "Human Whirlwind," a daring French athlete, is sending bunches of thrills up and down the spines of the spectators at the Casino in Paris, where he daily risks his life in performing the thriller," illustrated by the accompanying cut.

The bicycle and its rider, after descending the inclined plane, continue their course for an instant upon the semi-circular part of the track, and then, held by the rope, finish describing the circle in the air.

At the moment at which the wheels of the bicycle resume contact with the ground, the rope becomes detached automatically, owing to the special form of the hooks that sustain it at its ends, and it is possible for the bicyclist to continue his journey in a straight line, the curve part of the track being removed and the straight part lowered to the level of the ground during the short time that he is in the air.

The curve part is mounted upon two pivots, on which it is slid to one side, and the level part is supported by a metallic arc that is folded up when the pedal is passed by the attendant. These two parts are manipulated at the same time by one man.

FRENCH ATHLETE'S LATEST THRILLER.

$4,000,000 For the Workers

Vanished; Mrs. Howard Gould Lets All Go at

'CASTLE GOULD'

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 4.—Every one of the several hundred employes at Castle Gould have been discharged by order of Mrs. Howard Gould.

The action has placed many families in distressing circumstances. When it became known that the Goulds were to spend $4,000,000 on the palace many mechanics, laborers and landscape artists settled in Port Washington.

Mrs. Gould has had considerable trouble with a number of the men since the castle was started. Upon the refusal of experienced mechanics to obey her orders or to question her authority when they were employed by sub-contractors, it is said she would summarily order them from the place.

EAST BOSTON "POLS" GO TO PEDDOCK'S SUNDAY

The Sterling Club, of East Boston, will hold its fifth annual opening at Peddock's Island to-morrow. This has been a feature of the opening of the season among the Democratic "pols" of East Boston, and this year will eclipse anything in the line heretofore. The committee of arrangements comprises William Dobbs, Frank Zenus, John J. Jacgson, John J. Shegan, John Hayes, William McCarthy, Horace Libby. Peter Maguire is also helping.

PRINCE PU WINS $216 AT RACES

On Perry Belmont's Tip He Bets on Two Holland Horses Coupled.

HE MAKES $126 ON $50

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 4.—"No wonder everybody in America is rich," remarked Prince Pu Lun, of China, after the fourth race at Gravesend, as he tucked into the capacious folds of his peacock blue rainy day robe a large roie of bank notes, the result of a profitable investment on John F. in the May stakes.

He cats made had been the word brought from the paddock by the Prince's commissary, and Sir Chentung Liang Cheng, the Chinese Ambassador, the guests of Perry Belmont.

Mr. Belmont explained that two horses from the Holland stable, John F. and Bob Murray, were coupled, and there were two chances of winning the bet. This satisfied the Prince, and he pulled out several large bills, but Mr. Belmont suggested not to plunge at the start, and the Prince was satisfied with a bet of $50 "straight and place." It brought him a clear profit of $126.

Prince Pu kept his eyes glued to the colors of the Holland horses through a pair of field glasses, and rooted silently, but enthusiastically. When John F. was first at the wire he turned to Sir Chentung with an "I told you so" expression on his face. In the excitement of having played the winner he forgot about his bet until the betting commissioner appeared with the roll of bills.

The next race found Blandy a 9 to 10 favorite. Mr. Belmont again "put the Prince wise," and a bundle of $100 came from beneath the embroidered robe and was placed on Blandy. Blandy won.

"What about the next race?" asked the Prince eagerly.

"It's a bad betting proposition," he was told.

"Then I wont bet," declared the Prince, and he put back his money and watched the horses run.

LYNCH THREAT

AT BROOKLYN SHOOTING SALOON KEEPER

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 4.—Within sound of the Brooklyn Police Headquarters Amenelle Crimaldi, a saloon keeper at No. 227 Johnson street, Brooklyn, shot and inflicted what will be a mortal wound, with a revolver, on Charles Breeze, a conductor on a Coney Island car.

After the shooting Crimaldi fled, chased by a crowd of men. Policeman Joseph Owens, recently appointed to the force, was in the lead and three times the infuriated Italian shot at him. Owens finally caught him and took him back to the drug store where the injured conductor lay. There his rage again got the better of his discretion and he made an attempt to fire another bullet at the prostrate man. The reserve squad was called out in order to get Crimaldi to the station in safety. As the police escorted him there were cries of "Kill him." "Lynch Him!"

Crimaldi stood on the outer step of an open car. The conductor asked him to get inside. He then turned and struck the conductor, who is a small man, a blow in the face that almost knocked him down, and grabbing him pulled him off the car, and as they landed in the street shot him.

LEFT $80,000; HEIRS AT WAR.

What promises to be a long and bitter legal contest will result from the failure of the late Mrs. Rebecca Weeks, of Fitchburg, to make her will and dispose of $80,000.

The contesting parties are Miss Edith L. Weeks, a governess, of Cambridge, grand daughter of Mrs. Weeks, and Anna L. Alger, of Washington, D. C., also said to be a blood relative.

IRISH LEAGUE DISOWNS HIM

To prevent an imposition being practised upon the friends of the United Irish League, National Treasurer Thomas B. Fitzpatrick and National Secretary John O'Callaghan, of the United Irish League of America, have sent out a notice warning sympathizers against a man calling himself P. J. McManus, who claims to have been working on a Philadelphia newspaper.

In Lowell, Worcester, Clinton and other Massachusetts cities, McManus has appeared. McManus has no authority whatever to speakk on behalf of the League.

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DOG SAVES LIVES; THEN DIES WITH ITS PUPPIES

MANCHESTER, N. H., June 4.—The residence of J. Clarence Brown on High street, Goffstown, has been destroyed by fire. The members of the family barely escaped with their lives.

A house dog alarmed the family just in time. The dog refused to leave his litter of puppies, and was burned with them.

MAYOR ANGERS SCHOOL BOARD

A rupture is expected between Mayor Eastham and the School Board of Lynn over the treatment of Principals Russell and Jackson at the high school field day. They had been delegated with full charge of the affair, but were required to sit among the other spectators on the reviewing stand, while Captain P. Frank Packard, who had been ruled out of the program, occupied a conspicuous place.

Disapproving of Messrs. Jackson and Russell's eliminating Packard, the Mayor promptly appointed him adjutant general. Resplendent in his military togs Packard rode in the Mayor's carriage, and stood by his side with Mayors Willard and Folsom, of Chelsea and Gloucester.

The exercises included a parade, battalion and regimental drills, and special exercises, followed in the evening by a complimentary ball tendered the visiting battalions.

OUT OF ASYLUM INTO DIVORCE

Special to the Boston American.

FALL RIVER, June 4.—On the day her husband secured release from the Taunton Insane Asylum, where she had caused him to be sent, Mrs. Walter E. Marr, of this city, filed a bill for divorce, charging extreme cruelty.

On May 17 Mrs. Marr had her husband committed to the asylum, after a hearing in the District Court. Four days later, after a hearing before Supreme Court Justice Morton, he was set free as sane. On the same day Mrs. Marr filed her suit through L. E. Wood, her attorney.

Mrs. Marr cites specific instances of abusive treatment in her bill, and asks for the custody of their three children, Harold, six years old; Walter L., aged two years, and Caroline, nine months old.

BACK BAY WOMAN SAYS MUSIC WILL CURE SUFFERING CRIME MISERY

Music is hypnotic, evangelistic, curative, sedative and maddening, says Miss Christine Brown, a Back Bay society girl.

"All suffering, all crime and all misery can be prevented by music. If people only stopped their souls and bodies in harmony of music this would be an ideal world," she says.

"A man with a physical pain could be entirely put at ease, even to sleep, by a person playing sympathetically a theme suited to his temperament. The only danger lies in not properly studying the temperament of the patient before beginning.

"There are three kinds of music—physical, mental and spiritual.

"I firmly believe that many have first seen God through music.

"There is another side to music. It would be possible for a person to cause another person to fall into a rage or to experience almost any other emotion by simply sitting at a piano and playing, or by singing.

Miss Brown told of the effect of her playing on patients in the Women's Club Hospital in Brookline.

"One case that appealed to me was that of a poor woman who was suffering intense pain from convulsions of the brain. I began playing my harp, which I had brought with me, as there was no instrument in the hospital. Suddenly she ceased her writhings, closed her eyes, and her suffering ceased. It was wonderful. When I had finished she lay absolutely quiet, her body entirely relaxed, and she said that she felt no pain. This is but one case in many where music has this power."

ELOPER UNEASY NEAR OLD HOME

Special to the Boston American.

BENNINGTON, Vt., June 4.—A well-dressed, attractive young woman walked nervously back and forth on the station platform at Pownal this morning. There was no train due for more than two hours, and her apparent anxiety caused the station agent to inquire if she had lost anything or was mistaken about the train schedule.

"Oh, no, indeed. Please don't bother. I am all right. The fact is I am just looking around here, because this is the very same platform I eloped from about six years ago, and do you know," she added, as she gazed meditatively along a stretch of open road, "that is where my father came along in an automobile, but Pearl, as I was, for the train pulled out when he was still a couple of hundred yards away, and—Oh, there comes my husband now. We are going automobiling from here down to New York and glad to see you again, very. You are the same agent I bought my ticket from the last time I was here."

And the next moment, with a swish of her skirts, she was beside her husband in a big touring car speeding down the road.

The station agent is still wondering who his strange visitor was.

MRS. SARGENT MADE HISTORY

Mrs. Sargent is a figure not to be omitted in the history of her time."

Colonel Thomas Wentworth Higginson, the noted author, made this remark in the course of a eulogy at the funeral services for Mrs. Mary E. Sargent, the widow of Franklin Haven Sargent, whose death occurred last week in New York city.

"The Radical Club, of which she was the founder, was not the gathering of a mere clique. At its gathering aethelst and Roman Catholic met on common ground. Foreign publishers and literary personages were the friends of Mrs. Sargent. At her house was to be found the most democratic gathering I ever beheld."

Burial was in the family plot in Lilac Path, Forest Hills Cemetery. Services were conducted by Rev. Charles G. Adams.

DOCTORS WANT M'LANE BRAIN

BALTIMORE, June 4.—The grave in Greenmont cemetery of Mayor Robert M. McLane, who killed himself on Monday, is being guarded night and day. It is feared that some scientists, attracted by the general discussion as to whether the Mayor was insane may dig up the body for the purpose of making an examination of the brain. The will of Mayor McLane, dated February 14, 1902, two years before he married, leaves $10,000 of his estate to his bride of two weeks.

THINKS FOOD POISONED; SENDS IN ALARM OF FIRE

NEW BEDFORD, June 4.—Believing his food had been poisoned, Manuel Prates, a Portuguese, got a revolver and sent in an alarm of fire. He was taken to police headquarters and later removed to Taunton.

EMMONS WILL PREACH SUNDAY

Charles A. Crane and Judge Emmons will speak to-morrow in the People's Temple. The latter's topic, at 10:30, has not been announced. At 7:30 p. m. the pastor will preach on "Christ's Idea of Hell," after a special music by the Adams chorus at the young people's meeting at 6 p. m.

At Shawmut Congregational Church, 7:30 p. m., a stereopticon lecture will be given by the Rev. William T. McElveen on "The Passion Play of Oberammergau."

"Mind Your P's and Q's; a Life Hint from the Printer," will be the title of Rev. Allen A. Stockdale's discourse at the Berkeley Temple in the evening.

At 4 p. m. the Rev. Logan H. Root, of Wuchang, China, will preach in Emmanuel Church, 15 Newbury street.

Spiritualistic seances will be given to-morrow morning and evening in the First Spiritual Temple, Exeter street, by Mrs. N. J. Willis and Miss Aldrich, mediums.

HISTORIANS TO SEE SHRINES

The annual meeting of the Lexington Historical Society will be held this afternoon at 2:30 in the Lexington First Parish (Unitarian) Church, and by invitation the Bay State Historical League will hold its first annual field day there, too.

At 2 the public will be admitted, and after a brief address of welcome by Rev. Charles Carter, president of the Lexington Historical Society, a response will be made by John F. Ayer, president of the Bay State Historical Society. A paper will be read by James B. Munroe, of Lexington, on "George O. Smith, the Duke of Lexington." Albert Bushnell Hart, of Harvard will speak on "Historical Societies and Historical Research."

Later in the afternoon a visit will be made to historical places in Lexington under the guidance of Rev. Carlton A. Staples.

FOUR REPUBLICANS ARE AFTER GOVERNORSHIP

MONTPELIER, Vt., June 4.—Joseph A. Ide Boer has been nominated for Governor by the Republican caucus here. There are four candidates for the Vermont Republican nomination, Ide Boer, Percival W. Clement, Bell and Stanton. Bell is the favorite.

BOSTON GIRLS IN LATIN PLAY

Boston girls were given fresh honors at Smith College in a reproduction of the "Ludi Saeculares," as conducted in the days of the Emperor Augustus. The principal role, that of the Muse, was portrayed by Miss Ethel Curry, of classic Cambridge.

The production lasted less than an hour. The classic stage setting, costuming, dancing, gestures and posing and Latin lines were a repetition of the ceremonies at the Palatine Temple of Apollo. The festival concluded with the hymn composed by Horace at the request of Augustus, rendered by twenty-seven youths and twenty-seven maidens.

Those taking the parts of youths wore white knee skirts, stockings and sandals and were crowned with laurel wreaths. The maidens wore trailing draperies of white.

Boston girls taking part in the production were:

Puer—Leonore Bates, Louise De Forest, Helen Dean, Olivia Hopkins, Mabel Carmen, Sara Smoker and Helen Tate.

Puellae—Nathalie Howe, Helen Hinckley, Rebecca McDougall and Mabel Worthen.

Virgines—Helen Curtis and Ella Linthicum.

Matronae—Gale Sternberger, Marion Crowell and Helen Treadwell.

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MORRISTOWN, N. J., June 4.—Driving a stretcher into the sides of a furious bull until all the tines were broken off, then beating the beast over the head with the handle, Mrs. Stephen Holme saved the life of her husband. He was severely gored, but will recover.

CITY EMPLOYES' JOBS TO BE MORE SECURE

No city employe who is on civil service lists can be removed or transferred from office without being given a hearing, which shall be of public record, after Wednesday next. The new law to that effect goes into effect on Thursday.

Politicians expect that during the interim there will be many discharges in several departments.

TWO BLUECOATS UP ON CHARGES

The special committee of the Somerville Aldermen has held a hearing behind closed doors on Mayor Chandler's removal of Policemen Theodore S. Hall and Charles S. Johnston, the former for conduct unbecoming an officer and the latter for neglect of duty.

Mrs. S. A. Hackett, of 83 Jacques street, swore in an affidavit that Hall spoke offensively to her when she protested against his order not to sell tea, coffee, or sugar on Sundays, and that he had declared all the women on Jacques street were disorderly. This caused a stir, as Mayor Chandler's residence is on that street.

Ernest B. Small and Isaac Nodden testified that Hall had used abusive language to them and even threatened to use his pistol. A number of affidavits from Winter Hill, patrolled by Hall, were read, praising him as an officer.

In the case of Patrolman Johnston, typewritten statements by Reserve Patrolmen R. F. Blair, C. S. Peters and C. L. Crossman were introduced, specifying time and places when Johnston had been off his beat, although witnesses refuted this testimony.

CHARGE DETECTIVE WITH SHOOTING HOUSEKEEPER

NEW YORK, June 4.—Detective Sergeant Alexander Chanler, attached to the West Thirtieth street station, is accused of shooting his beautiful Japanese housekeeper, Reiu Yara, in the abdomen and in a precarious condition in Roosevelt Hospital. Chanler declares he shot himself with his revolver. She will not say who did the shooting.

WILL COMMAND BOSTON SALVATION DISTRICT

The Boston Salvation Army district, which includes Worcester on the west and New Bedford on the south, will hereafter be under the personal supervision of Major Ira Withers, who has been appointed chief of this division. Major Withers comes from Portland.

NEW BEDFORD AIRSHIP FAILS

NEW BEDFORD, June 4.—The flying machine upon which Nathan Oliver, of Mattapoisett has been working for two years, and which he hoped to enter in competition with Santos Dumont and others at St. Louis, has come to grief on the first test at Mattapoisett Neck. Mr. Oliver took the machine out of his barn, where it has been building, but before he had time to get into the seat and start the machinery the wind caught it, twisted it around and shut it up like a jack knife.

Mr. Oliver is heartbroken over the failure of his contrivance, and attributes its collapse to the fact that the bamboo frame was not stiff enough. He has been working hard on the machine, and was so confident of its success that he neglected to plant any corn on his farm this Spring.

MEAT CHOPPER FALLS AND CUTS GIRL'S FOOT

While examining a piece of meat in a provision store at No. 67 Shawmut avenue Miss Grace Davis, of No. 687 Shawmut avenue, brushed against a meat chopper. The heavy, sharp instrument fell on her foot, severing one of the arteries.

The girl was taken to the City Hospital, losing a great deal of blood before the wound was dressed. She will recover.

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GEORGE HENRY TINKHAM DEAD AT SUMMER HOME

George Henry Tinkham, aged seventy, a millionaire Back Bay real estate owner, died at his Summer home, Benett Hall, Billerica. He leaves one son, George Holden Tinkham, a lawyer, who served for three terms in the Board of Aldermen.

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WITH a view to inducing him to again accept the leadership of the Knights of Labor, the Boston assemblies today forwarded an invitation to Terence V. Powderly, for many years general master workman, to visit this city and address a monster mass meeting of labor men. Tremont Temple or Mechanics' building will be immediately secured for the occasion should a favorable reply be received.

The affairs of the Knights of Labor as an organization are being slowly straightened out, and it is proposed to inaugurate a campaign to bring it up to its former strength. Since the fight in the courts has finally been settled by a decision handed down by Judge Anderson, of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, the membership looks to Mr. Powderly again taking up the leadership. Among the Knights in Boston the opinion that Mr. Powderly will consent to being named for the position is general. Michael J. Kenney, district secretary treasurer of the local Assembly No. 30, stated that he had every reason to believe that Mr. Powderly would resume management of the order, provided his nomination was unanimous.

GENERAL MASTER WORKMAN.

The Supreme Court of the District of Columbia finds that Simon Burns is the general master workman, Henry A. Hicks general worthy foreman, Thomas H. Canning of Boston general secretary-treasurer, John Vernan, Frank B. Yeurison and Morris Carmody the general executive board; that they were duly elected at the general assembly of the order at Niagara Falls in November, 1902, have been legal officers since that time, and are entitled to exercise the functions and duties of those offices until their successors shall be duly elected and installed, and that as such they are entitled to the possession of all the property, books, documents, papers and records of the order; that the defendants, John W. Hayes, Isaac J. Chamberlain, Isaac H. Sanderson, Michael T. Judge, Joseph H. Manson and Henry A. Beckmyer are not officers of the general assembly and are not entitled to the possession or control of any of the property, books, papers or records.

DEFENDANTS ENJOINED.

John W. Hayes and the other defendants are enjoined from claiming or pretending to be the officers of the order, and have been notified to deliver to Burns and the others all the property of the order in their possession.

The instant the litigation was ended an effort was made to have Mr. Powderly return to the order and take charge of affairs. Mr. Powderly's acceptance of the invitation to speak in Boston will be taken on an indication of his disposition to again take charge.

NO TROUBLE, KINGMAN SAYS.

President Kingman, of the Boston Musicians' Union, has issued a denial of the statement published in a morning paper to the effect that there was a prospect of the union making trouble for the Boston Symphony Orchestra on account of the latter being members of that body.

"The articles are not based upon facts. We have sixty odd members of the Orchestra in our union," said Mr. Kingman, "and that is more than a majority of the members. As we view it, there has been no change in the case of the Symphony Orchestra and the rules regarding union men not playing with non-union men there apply as to that organization. We make this explanation for the reason that the impression is being that the wages paid are much higher than they really are, and the hours and conditions are very pleasant and desirable.

"Of course, the question of not playing with non-union men applies to members of the Symphony Orchestra acting in an organization, and no union man would play with a non-union man outside of the hall under the jurisdiction of the Boston union. The same would be true if they were within the jurisdiction of other unions.

"I cannot say definitely any trouble for the orchestra on our account. It may be, however, as reflected to you from the New York men. Whether the New York union may make any definite move I do not know. Our union men in the orchestra thus far have been very faithful, but they may in all union men."

NON-UNIONISTS QUIT.

Boilermakers' Union 250 has received reports from the pickets at the Norwood to the effect that fifteen non-union boilermakers of the N. Y., N. H. & H. Railroad makers employed in the places of union men have quit work, and the men were easily persuaded, once the union men got the opportunity of speaking to them and explaining the fight. In consequence of the boilermakers' strike, sixty dead engines are now in the various yards and along the road's system.

The Railroad Commission, it was reported, had during the week ordered the corporation to take a number of locomotives out of service because of their dangerous condition.

CLOCK CAUSES STRIKE.

Fifty lasters and pullers-over employed in the factory of Brophy Brothers, of Lynn, are out on strike because of the discharge of three side layers. These men refused to work out of the clock system of timekeeping. The lasters and pullers-over declare that they will stay out until the clock stops.

WILL OPERATE PLANT.

The general strike of the employees of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company at Sydney, C. B., has compelled the company to lay off all of the members who remained at work when the strike of the miners went out. Preparations were rushed to-day in an attempt to operate the plant.

A large number of cots has been placed on the upper floor of the general office building at the works, and it is said the beds will be used by imported workmen. Fifty Italians have arrived from the West, but they were persuaded by the strikers not to go to work.

The company announces that all employes will be paid off to-day, but that on strike have decided not to accept their wages until the next regular pay day.

5,000 MEN MAY STRIKE.

Five thousand men, employed by the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company, is to be called out by the three anthracite district boards. The men are all employed in the Panther Creek Valley. The meeting of the district boards will be held at Lansford, Penn., all hope that the company will grant the demand of the men for reinstatement to colliery No. 11 has now gone. Even with the strike threatened for to-day, the company officials did not move a particle from their position, and accordingly President Dettry called for a meeting of all the district boards next Monday.

The company sends nearly its entire production of 12,000 tons a day to New York city and a strike will cut off all of this, but no famine will result as the Lehigh Valley will probably supply most of the deficiency. It is feared if a strike is ordered that others in that district of the region, and there are many of them who are dissatisfied, may be induced to go on strikes at their collieries in order to adjust conditions to their liking.

FORE RIVER STRIKE OVER.

The wind-up of the strike at the yards of the Fore River Ship and Engine Company took place last night, when the men were given to hold out returned to their places. This strike was called April 19. The men refused to stay out was the shipwrights, caulkers and machinists, and a committee of the union had a conference with President Bowles Wednesday afternoon, and it resulted in the action taken by the union after receiving the report of the committee.

The Boiler Makers' Union took a like step several days ago.

LABOR LAW VIOLATIONS?

Chief Shaw of the State police has been notified by Representative Donahue, of Fall River, that the jewelry establishments of Attleboro, North Attleboro and Wrentham and Mansfield are violating the labor laws. The district police have been requested to investigate the charge.

ASK FOR MORE MONEY.

Freight handlers employed in the yards of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad at Pawtucket, R. I., have presented a petition for an increase in wages. No strike has been declared, and the men are working as usual. The men were recently organized into a union by labor men of Providence.

ENGINEERS NOMINATE.

The following have been nominated for officers of Engineers' Union No 16: Frank B. Monaghan and G. E. Searle for president, P. J. Gorham for vice-president, Thomas Fitzgerald and William Lynch for recording secretary, W. H. F. Whelan and J. J. Powers for financial secretary, T. J. McCarthy for treasurer, Joseph Carson for guard, M. Sullivan for conductor, William B. F. Whelan for auditor, James Carmody, William H. F. Whelan, P. J. Gorman, E. E. Searle, M. J. Crahan, B. Sullivan, H. Monaghan, J. J. Powers, P. Good, James Duncan, Charles Burns, G. W. Abbott, J. H. Wade and A. McNeil, delegates to the Central Labor Union.

Frank B. Monaghan, who is a former international president, A. M. Wood and J. C. Woodhead have been suggested as delegates to the international convention at Omaha.

The election occurs next Friday.

MILLINERY TRADE COURSE.

Among the radical changes to be made this year in the class work of the Women's Educational and Industrial Union is the formation of a trade course in millinery to commence September 6.

By means of the new class a thorough training in the trade will be offered; and, as competent hat makers are in demand, earning from $10 to $12 a week, and trimmers even more, it is intended to offer another means of lucrative employment to young women who graduate in the class shop, where friends of the pupils and the public may buy hats.

SIXTH WEEK OF STRIKE.

The strike at the piano and organ factory of the Emerson Company is entering upon its sixth week, according to the workers' union's joint executive board. The strike committee congratulated the strikers for the courteous manner in which they have acted, despite efforts to provoke unpleasant feeling or actions, and says that they are weakened and returned to work despite the influences which have been brought to bear upon many of them as individuals.

A committee has been named to notify all labor bodies throughout the country of the situation and that the factory employs no union men.

TO ADDRESS MEAT CUTTERS.

Homer D. Call, of Syracuse, international secretary of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters' and Butchers' Union, is in Boston to-day and will address a smoketalk and open meeting at Kenny's Hall, Union No. 307 at No. 15½ Canal street, Tuesday night. Now England organizers will also speak and Michael Donnelly, of Chicago, the international president, will also be present.

ENDORSE SHOE WORKERS.

The executive board of the Boot and Shoe Workers' Union has requested that the following resolution adopted by the Denver Convention of the Western Federation of Miners be made public:

Whereas, the Shoe Manufacturers' Association of Boston, a league of Kingdom, has declared it would be union crushers, on May 1, 1904, locked out 4,000 members of the Boot and Shoe Workers' Union because they refused to submit to a reduction of wages and to the tyranny of the association, and

Whereas, it has come to our knowledge that Chicago-made shoes are being sold in Boston and other country in which the Western Federation of Miners are now engaging, owing to the

Whereas, we deem it our duty to render all assistance possible to the United Boot and Shoe Workers' Union, therefore, be it

Resolved, that we, the Western Federation of Miners, in convention assembled, hereby endorse the action of the Boot and Shoe Workers' Union in its struggle, and that we pledge our moral and financial support in their conflict with the forces of capital, and be it

Further resolved, that we call upon our members everywhere to refuse to handle Chicago-made shoes as well as all other shoes made by unfair union shops.

The headquarters of the shoe workers is in Boston.

MONSTER PUBLIC MEETING.

In order to right the public's prevailing misapprehension regarding the causes of the strike of the Industrial Tube Workers' Union, they will hold a monster public meeting on Sunday night in Lynn Hall, to which the president of the International Tube Workers and President Cunningham of the Sanitary Union will deliver speeches.

Thomas K. Foster, Edmund F. Ward, of the Brewery Workers' Union; Sim Meyers, of the organization committee of the Allied Trades of the boot and shoe workers, will also be present and deliver addresses.

One of the salient features in regard to the strike is the fact that the men, who are striking for a dollar increase, find it almost impossible to get them to go to the advanced prices, on the $10 a week wage they are now receiving.

CELEBRATE ACQUITTAL.

A meeting was held in Providence last night at the labor temple in celebration of the acquittal of Peter Gerry, the Providence lawyer, in the district court. He was charged with obstructing Francesco Mowri, an Italian, who was hired by the street railway as a strike breaker.

THREATENED FIGHT BLOCKED.

The threatened free fight between the striking quarrymen employed at Keenan's quarry on the mountain at Newington, Conn., and the non-union men engaged to take their places did not come off yesterday afternoon. During the morning Sheriff Fowler was notified that trouble was expected during the afternoon. He immediately secured a posse and left for the scene. The presence of the authorities had the effect of upsetting the men and several returned to work. The others were expected to go back to-day, but the interest out when their request for an increase in wages was refused.

NEWSPAPER DRIVERS' UNION.

Newspaper Drivers' Union, Local No. 259, at its first regular meeting at the new quarters, 820 Washington street, distributed June buttons to the members. The committee on wages tendered a report, which was unanimously accepted. The committee was not discharged, owing to the fact that it still has to wait on the boss in the wage schedule line. The members agreed to raise the dues to $1 per month. The initiation fee is $5. Thomas K. Whier was elected delegate to Chelsea.

LABOR MEETINGS TO-NIGHT.

Amalgamated Carpenters, Branch No. 3, at Dwight Hall, No. 334 Tremont street.

Amalgamated Carpenters, Branch No. 2, at No. 9 Eliot street.

Amalgamated Carpenters, Branch No. 3, at No. 20 Warren street, Roxbury.

Cloth and Cap Makers' Union No. 7.

Colored Waiters, at No. 34 Bromfield street.

LABOR NOTES.

The executive committee of the Boston Central Labor Union will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in Wells Memorial building.

Laundry Wagon Drivers' Union will be removed from Capitol Hall to Bartenders' Hall, 184 Canal street, and not meets the second and fourth Tuesdays of the month.

Plate printers of this city will unite at a meeting in Henestead Hall this afternoon. A consolidation and by-laws will be adopted when effected.

Newspaper Wagon Drivers' Union has changed its meeting place and is now to meet at the new headquarters, Washington street, No. 820. Where union-elected delegates to the international brotherhood convention, at Omaha, will be named.

President Geo. W. Smith and ex-President David Mahan of Boston, and Secretary-Treasurer Thomas H. Canning of the new women's auxiliary of the Boston machinists' lodges at the regular meeting, on account of additional names added to the charter application. The next meeting will be held at the Wells Memorial building, Washington street.

Laundry Wagon Drivers' Union will in the future meet at 184 Canal street on the second and fourth Thursday nights of each month.

CANNON WILL NOT RUN WITH MR. ROOSEVELT

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 4.—Representative Hepburn, of Iowa, thinks Speaker Cannon will be able to avoid having the vice-presidency thrust upon him. "Uncle Joe has had a year as Speaker," said Mr. Hepburn, "and he is a bigger man than he would be as Vice-President. He does not want the nomination, and he won't take it."

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Read to-day's instalment.

Straight Seven Pounds.

The following think 7 pounds is enough:
E. M. PETERSON, 3 Bledge place, Worcester.
F. D. SHEA, Roxbury.
G. L. CONKLE, Worcester.
MRS. JOHN H. SMITH, 23 Elmer street, Cambridge.
MRS. WILLIAM SULLIVAN, 692 Tremont street, city.
MARY WALSH, 23 Fremont street, Fall River.
J. EDWIN HODGDON.
MARY ANN V. BERRY MAN, South Boston.
PHYLLIS GEARY, 88 Heath street, Charlestown.
H. K. M., 24 Hanover street, Nashua, N. H.
WILLIE CONKLE, Worcester.
H. K. M., Hotel Knox, Boston.
WILLIE CONKLE, 23 Avon street, Providence, R. I.
MRS. W. F. W., W. J. M. C., Roxbury.
L. H. HASSALL, 11 Centre street, Roxbury.
THOMAS J. MURPHY, 1295 Dorchester, Boston.
C. H. BIRD, 21 Avon street, Worcester.
JOSEPH C. MCCORMACK, 111 Fountain street, Worcester.
W. H. DUNCAN, American House, East Boston.
ANNIE E. GOODRICH, 37 Sycamore, Roxbury.
A. D. BROWN, 44 Farnham street, Lawrence.
MRS. C. S. SADDEN, 1 Bay State road, Newburyport.

They Think Eight Pounds Right.

The following correspondents put their faith on eight pounds as the true solution of the problem:

ED. WILLIAMS, 71 Arlington street, Brighton.
L. M. KIMBALL, Boston.

Eleven and Three-fourths for Them.

The following think 11¾ good enough:
P. KELLY, 958 Westminster street, Providence, R. I.
M. J. SEGAL, 22 Poplar street, city.

Call It Fifteen and Three-fourths.

These solve it at 15¾:
MRS. J. H. HILL, 827 Fourth street, Fall River.
MARY SARRY, 1 Auburn street, Charlestown.
E. J. D. Bisnop, Hill.
A. DAVIS, Pawtucket, R. I.
A. C. FRASER, city.
MEMBER OF D. C., Lawrence.
H. J. D., 205 Bank street, Cambridge.
E. E. S., city.
C. PELLINE, aged fourteen, 99 Spruce street, city.
JAMES G. BERNIGMIN, 85 Webster street, city.
GILBERT V. CORE, 28 Union street, city.
HENRY MURRY, 108 Court street, Plymouth.
C. H. HILL, 21 Elm street, Somerville.
MOLLIE, 15 Linwood square, Roxbury.
A. LAWSON, 505 Broadway, R. I.
F. P. B., Pigeon Cove.
E. P. DOLAN, 71 Lawrence, Lawrence.
JAMES HILLING, 118 Pleasant street, city.
PATRICK CONNOLLY, 30 India street, Portland.
A. A. HANSCOM, Beverly.

Think It 11½.

These are more or less positive 11½ is correct:
ANNA SANBORN, 206 Washington street, city.
L. LEASKY, 99 Ward street, Worcester.
PERCHE FIRE EXTINGUISHER, Portland, Me.
JOE and ESTELLE, Park street school, Allegheny, Penn., aged twelve and thirteen.
DANNY K., Dorchester.
H. B. GOKEY, Hotel Lexington.
E. H., Woonsocket.
E. H. S., Roxbury.
H. WALKER, 1 Central court, Kent Station.
MRS. ANNIE BLANCHARD, Bloomfield.
MISS JENNIE MARSHALL, 331A Warren street, Roxbury.
HAROLD F. B. BUSBY, 197 Warren street, Fall River.
E. R. WELL, South Boston.
J. F. FOSTER, 1 Bow square, Peabody.
MRS. ELLEN F. FOLEY, 991 Mount street, Somerville.
BRADLEY TOOKE, 20 Dudley street, city.
ESTHER PALMER, Derry street.
HENRY MURRAY, 108 Court street, city.
W. M. T. S., James Hotel, Woonsocket.
C. K., 6 Waverly street, Maiden.
M. M. C., 6 Waverly street, Maiden.

He Must Settle It.

Puzzle Editor: I must settle the brick question for I have been arguing with a man that a half a brick, how much will a brick and a half weigh. He says seven pounds and a brick weighs seven pounds and a whole brick. ALLAN FRANOR, 36 Sprague street, Providence.

Scales Do It.

Puzzle Editor: If a brick weighs seven pounds and a half a brick, which weighs one a brick and a half weighs? Answer: If a brick and a half weighs seven pounds and a whole brick. ALLAN FRANOR, 36 Sprague street, Providence.

Makes It in Bricks.

Puzzle Editor: I have spent considerable time in thinking the problem over. Have come to the conclusion that it is 22 bricks. ALEXANDER E. A. FREEDMAN, City.

How She Gets It.

Puzzle Editor: This is the way I got the answer. If a brick weighs seven pounds and one-half of a brick, one-half of a brick weighs three pounds and one-fourth of a brick. When added together they weigh ten pounds and one-fourth of a brick. Subtract three-fourths of a brick. Answer, 10½ pounds and three-fourths of a brick. MRS. K. L. H., Bridgewater.

Ignores Hypothesis.

Puzzle Editor: A regulation brick weighs four pounds; then a brick and one-half will be 6 pounds. DIDO LYNCH.
Portsmouth, N. H.

Dead Easy at Sixteen Pounds.

Puzzle Editor: Take all kinds of queries, but I think this is the easiest I have had to answer. If a brick weighs 7 pounds, and one and a half bricks give a good one next trip.
Boston. A CONSTANT READER.

FAIR PIANIST GETS GRIP, FULL OF GOLD

PUPILS OF ELMWOOD STREET GYMNASIUM HONOR MISS McGLINCHY.

JEANNETTE McGLINCHY

PIANIST GYMNASIUM PUPILS HONORED.

Miss Jeanette McGlinchy received a hand bag filled with gold pieces as a token of esteem.

Miss Jeanette McGlinchy, pianist at the Miss McGlinchy the hand-bag, with a fit Elmwood street gymnasium, Roxbury, the speech expressing the thanks of the Crossling, to richer by a costly hand-bag class for her assistance. Miss McGlinchy and a large sum of money in gold. These were delighted. She opened the hand-bag gifts were presented at the close of the gym- and found a purse filled with gold pieces, nasium session by the pupils, members of the yellow gold. Miss McGlinchy's pleasure class. Her eyes filled as the gold was turned, for when she saw the purse When instructor Matthew Leary gave to thank the smiling class members.

PUP FOUND ROLL OF $45; TRIED TO EAT IT

A roll of bank notes amounting to $45, dropped by Christopher Brace, a Medford shopper, was picked up by a pup owned by Mrs. H. P. Vaughan, Robert street, Medford. Mrs. Vaughan noticed the puppy chewing and chuckling over something. She removed the bills just in time.

RICH MARYLANDER DEAD.

BALTIMORE, June 4.—William Keyser, the wealthiest man in Maryland, died here stricken with apoplexy at his country estate, Brentwood, and is dead.

WORKING WAY TO WAR WITH STOLEN WHEELS

Unimpeded progress of two Boston negroes, Edward F. Morton and George Brown, headed for the seat of war on stolen bicycles, was checked in this city. Boston, in Worcester they sold the two wheels for $20 and bought a ticket to Springfield, where they planned to continue their journey. Thus they planned to reach the seat of the impending war.

BOSTON DOCTOR CHOSEN.

Dr. C. H. White, of Boston, has been elected president of the section on ophthalmology of the American Ophthalmological Association, which convention at Niagara Falls. Dr. H. V. Carlell, of Cleveland, was elected president.

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BABY'S FATHER JEALOUS OF HIM

Mrs. Anna Salmon told Judge Forsaith in the Municipal Court that her husband, Oswald, was jealous because she petted their three-year-old child. She told him arraigned on the charge of assault. She said her husband had drank a quart of whiskey at a sitting.

"This is an extraordinary case," said the Judge, who once before this week has counseled an estranged couple in court. "I never before heard of a parent being jealous because of the other's affection for their child. Go home and live with your wife, Salmon. If don't want to see your family broken up. But you must stop drinking."

"Shall I take a glass of ale or beer?" asked Salmon, who is accustomed to a fresh flay decoter at a salary of $20 a week.

"I think that total abstinence is safest, replied the Judge. Salmon assured upon his handsome wife and she beamed upon his arm as they happily left the court.

FIRE CAPTAIN ADAMS TO HEAR VERDICT MONDAY

East Boston firemen are anxious to learn the result of the trial of Captain Henry W. Adams, accused by District Chief Patrick E. Keyes. The result will be announced Monday. Three of Captain Adams's superior officers appeared against him.

The resignation of Captain Adams sent in to Commissioner Hunt by Chief Keyes, Captain Adams says he is tired of a stiren house life.

BOSTON "DRUMMERS" TO DISCUSS FAIR PLANS

The "drummers" of Greater Boston will meet in Mechanics' Building tonight to have a "smoke talk" and to hear how plans are coming on for the first annual exposition of the United Commercial travellers of America in this city next October. Secretary George E. Hall, of Fall River, will be present. Reports will be received from the fair committees. Lunch will be followed by the business session.

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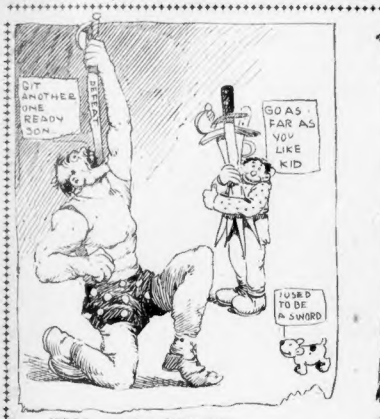

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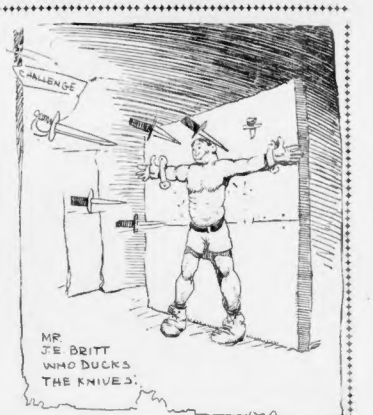

MR JE BRITT WHO DUCKS THE KNIVES.

KID McCOY THE ONE GRAND RIELE SHOT

NICHOLS TO FACE THE HUB BATSMEN

AMERICAN LEAGUE
HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.
BOSTON	20	12	.625
Cleveland	21	14	.600
New York	23	16	.590
Chicago	23	17	.575
Detroit	20	16	.556
Philadelphia	20	16	.556
Washington	17	20	.459
St. Louis	12	27	.308

GAMES SCHEDULED TO-DAY.

Boston at Cleveland.
New York at Detroit.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.
Washington at Chicago.

GAMES YESTERDAY.

At Cleveland—Cleveland 2, Boston 1.
At Detroit—Detroit 5, New York 4.
At Chicago—Chicago 5, Washington 0.
At St. Louis—St. Louis-Philadelphia postponed; rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.
Chicago	25	11	.694
New York	23	13	.639
Cincinnati	22	13	.629
Pittsburg	21	18	.538
Philadelphia	16	20	.444
BOSTON	14	22	.389
Brooklyn	12	25	.324
St. Louis	9	26	.257

GAMES SCHEDULED TO-DAY.

St. Louis at Boston.
Pittsburg at Brooklyn.
Cincinnati at New York.
Chicago at Philadelphia.

GAMES YESTERDAY.

At Boston—Boston 1, St. Louis 0 (15 innings).
At New York—Cincinnati 3, New York 2.
At Brooklyn—Brooklyn 5, Pittsburg 4 (12 innings).
At Philadelphia—Chicago 4, Philadelphia 3.

Homer Smoot, one of the mainstays of the St. Louis Cardinals, and crackerjack centerfielder, is on the sick list. Last night it was necessary to have a physician in attendance. The latter said it might be necessary for Smoot to confine himself to bed for a week or more.

Jack Dunleavy, the star utility man, who can pitch, play the infield or outfield, or, in fact any position on the field will take the place of Smoot.

The absence of Smoot will greatly handicap the line, as he is one of the leading batsmen. Outside of Smoot Pitcher Jack O'Neil is the only one of the Cardinals that is at present out of the game.

Charley Nichols said this morning: "We have had some hard luck in getting men kept out of the game. It has not been any of the weaker players that have taken sick or have been injured. Every time it has been one of the leading fielders or pitchers. As soon as one man gets well another drops out."

Nichols will twirl in this afternoon's game and has every hope of pulling a victory from his former playmates. Grady will be stationed behind the bat.

The members of the players "spruced up a bit" and went to the photographers to have their faces reproduced.

Nothing could be heard this morning but disappointment over the result of yesterday's game. The Cardinals are fight and hard to land in first place, and a set back from the colors [illegible] them not a little. All declared it was the fine fielding of Jim Delahanty that saved the game for the home aggregation.

The St. Louis boys had their hardest game from the Hubbites this season, and they are expecting another tought battle this afternoon with "Vic" Willis on the rubber.

TENNEY'S MEN OUT FOR EARLY PRACTICE

Tenney and his bunch of wallopers were out in force this morning at the South End grounds, and the practice stunts that they did showed the team to be in rare form. Pendergast, the old semi-pro star, did the feat of pulling off that thirteen inning game of yesterday with Charley Nichol's players from St. Louis, but if high spirits mean anything the team from Beantown will win again to-day.

"Victor Willis is in fine form," said Manager Buckenberger, "and I am confident that he will turn the trick for us. Pat Moran is still laid up with a sore finger, but as he seem anxious to play, a chance will be given him this afternoon.

Rayner is eating the ground balls up this morning as if he were born here to [illegible] Pat Carney, Dick Cooley, Tommy Needham, Fred Truncy and most of the boys were all out for their morning drilling, while Pittinger, satisfied with his work of yesterday, remained on the bench and watched the antics of his mates. There should be a big crowd of old time rooters to-day out to see Charley Nichols, and everything points to a great afternoon's sport.

JEFF ALMOST KNOCKED OUT BY INNOCENT STRAWBERRIES

By W. W. NAUGHTON.
By Boston American Leased Wire.

HARRIS SPRINGS, Cal., June 4.—His forty teens with cases of world conquering heroes who, after leading charmed lives among all the horrors of war, fell victims to the most trifling of ailments. Yesterday big Jim Jeffries, the man who has braved Fitzsimmons's shifts, the Corbett corkscrews, the Ruhlin rib-roasters and the Starkey wallops, all but succumbed to a dish of strawberries.

The champion partook of the berries at the lunch hour. He had not long returned from a hard road trip and his throat and palate were feverish. The berries looked inviting and he disposed of a large quantity.

Then the trouble began. Jeffries grew pale and writhed as his opponent does after receiving a solar plexus bump.

"It's stomachic," whispered Dick Adams.

Joe Kennedy's Diagnosis.

"No," said Joe Kennedy decisively. "He didn't have any. It's either the strawberries or the green onions."

Jack Jeffries said he believed it was a plain, ordinary case of cramps.

Jim Hayes, chief of the best aid department, who is always consulted in such cases, and who is prepared for every emergency, prescribed a cordial which in vogue with Kentuckians. The Jeffries gastric juices, thus reinforced, overwhelmed the berries and the ptomaine poison. The latter assumed a broad, bronzed face. He stretched himself and said he felt all right once more, but he consented to abstain from afternoon training for fear of "starting the works again."

The gym apparatus, including the monster sandbag, suffered a rest. Jeffries declined to vary his programme with an extended jaunt over the dusty roads. He started out at 9 to do nothing.

Kept Up Dog Trots.

"Kid" Egan and the writer accompanied him in a buckboard. The course was toward Middletown, and Jeffries kept up a dog trot for the first couple of miles, taking the up grades as comfortably as though traveling from his bill. He then straddled down to a galloping walk and did not refuse his stride when Middletown was reached.

After gargling his throat with spring water, Jeffries headed for camp again, at a trot. At noon, after having had about two hours' continuous walking and running, during which about nine miles were covered, a hot bath and a rub followed and the champion told those around him that he felt strong enough to tackle an army single handed. Then the strawberries crossed his path.

TAD PRESENTS BIG CUT-RATE SHOW

BY TAD.

Prices reduced to-day, people, prices reduced, but our bill, as usual, is the jammy in the line of goods. We have some home cooking to-day inside that you will never forget. A dime, a dime—children live—this afternoon.

See Walcott, the "dash of soot," who holds everything they can pile on him and never goes down. Stronger than ever and the best the market affords.

See Ryan, the juggler. Imagine a man juggling knives and pitchforks, and not more out of them. Who could do that but the great Ryan.

See Britt, the dodge kid. This man has more challenges hurled at him than any other man in the world and they never touch him. NEVER TOUCH him, people. Think of that! He can dodge faster and neater than a California flea and has them all on the hip when it comes to the finer graft.

See McCoy, the rifle shot. Ah, we have the card here, friends. The Kid can hit anything in the line of a socker that is trown his way and non ever stays up. He drops this neater than Buffalo Bill ever dreamed of, and will work his little turn this afternoon for you.

See Peter Maher swallow the swords. Many great men have dropped out of sight after swallowing one or more of these swords, but not so with old Pete. That's his middle name—stay with it—and he is still swallowing them.

See him, friends!

'CORBETT' WILL SECOND MINER

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 4.—Champion Jimmy Britt and "Young Corbett" met in battle tonight for the first time since they fought in San Francisco, a couple of months ago, at the Metropole Hotel, and although there has been considerable feeling between the boys, the meeting was a pleasant one.

"Corbett" greeted his conqueror in a friendly manner, and the little pugilistic plants drank mineral water to each other's health. They talked over their return match and each expressed a desire to have the match take place during the Fall before the club offering the best inducements.

Young Corbett," accompanied by his manager, Harry Pollok, will leave for San Francisco to-day. He will second Jack Munroe in his championship battle with Jeffries.

M'CARTHY IS A LIVE ONE

Eugene J. McCarthy, M. S., '05, was elected captain of Tufts track team for the coming season at a meeting of the members of the Varsity track team, held last night. McCarthy is the second student from the professional s, and in the history of athletics at Tufts who has been elected to the captaincy of a Varsity team. Captain Simon of this year's baseball nine being the other.

McCarthy is a good all-round athlete, having made the relay team each year, and doing fine work in the sprints and hurdles. He is a member of the present Varsity baseball nine, playing centre field. Last Fall he was the most reliable quarter back that Tufts had for her football team.

McCarthy is an old Malden High School man, at which school he was a star in both his work and in athletics.

CHALLENGE IS ACCEPTED

LONDON, June 4.—An official acceptance of the challenge issued by the Oxford University Athletic Club to the Harvard and Yale track teams, in behalf of the Oxford and Cambridge Universities, was received here to-day by cable.

The meeting, which will be held here this Summer, will be governed by the regulations used at former meets. The Harvard and Yale faculties say they will have any trouble in conceding to the demands of the Britishers.

COLLEGE GAMES TO-DAY.

Bowdoin-Brown at Providence. Princeton-Yale at New Haven. Lehigh University at Bethlehem, Pa. Pennsylvania-Cornell at Philadelphia. Trinity-Williams at Williamstown. Dartmouth-Amherst at Amherst. Cross at Worcester. Dean Academy at Exeter. Harvard vs. Yale at Cambridge.

HOT FACULTY DIAMOND GAME

Tufts faculty baseball team will play their second annual game with the seniors on Tufts oval next Tuesday afternoon. This is one of the most interesting games that takes place on Tufts oval this year, and undoubtedly will be well attended. Last year the faculty team won the game after a close contest.

The faculty nine is made up mostly of the younger professors, some of whom played on their varsity teams while in college, and comprises: Professor H. G. Chase, Professor F. W. Durkee, Dr. C. C. Stroud, Mr. Charles F. Chapman, Professor F. W. Bean, Professor R. H. Rockwell, Professor C. F. Cushman, Professor F. B. Sanborn, Professor L. E. Lewis and Mr. G. F. Ashley. The senior team will be captained by Bond, who will do the twirling, and will comprise J. H. Hood, C. E. Mayhew, D. T. A. Gabarron, C. H. Shaw, C. D. Bray, O. E. Forrest, W. V. Burrell, W. F. Goodspeed, H. E. Perkins, H. C. Fay, F. A. Moore and E. D. Wood.

RESULTS OF COLLEGE GAMES

At Soldiers' Field—Harvard 5, Bowdoin 0.
At Middletown—Dartmouth 4, Wesleyan 3.
At Andover—Andover 4, Yale 0? 3.

CREWS WILL LEAVE TO-DAY

More Harvard oarsmen will be taken to New London to-day than ever before. The second varsity crew will go to give the main crew work, and a number of substitutes will be made in the shell before the Yale race. It's following are the varsity men: Dillingham, Pilley, Duffy, Smith, Lawson, Shoudelle, Clifton, Ober, Chase, Brownell, Swain, Shepard, Bowditch, J. R. Montgomery, J. M. Montgomery, Jr., Macomber, Johnson, Lindsley, Foster, Montgomery, 4, Switzer; 3, Meier; 2, Lindsley; bow, Girdler.

Four-oared — Stroke, Brownell; 3, Swain; 2, Shepard; bow, Bowditch.

TIGERS MEET YALE TO-DAY

Special to the Boston American.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., June 4.—An immense crowd is expected to see the Yale and Princeton varsity baseball nines play on Yale Field this afternoon.

Both teams are in edge and a great game should result. Following is the probable batting order:

YALE.	PRINCETON.
O'Brien, s. s.	Reid, 3b.
Hobkanson, 3b.	Cosgrove, c. f.
Bowman, 1b.	Underhill, p. or l. f.
Miller, c. f.	Driscoll, s. s.
Coxe, l. f.	Wells, 2b.
Winslow, c.	Davis, 1b.
Smith or Barnes, r. f.	Stevens, p. or l. f.
Metcalf, 2b.	Veeder, c.
Mackey, p.	Forsyth, r. f.

YOUNG DUE TO TURN TABLES

Special to the Boston American.

CLEVELAND, June 4.—May be the Bostons aren't a strong ball club, but the players this morning. One couldn't find their equal in seven counties.

"What will it be next?" asked Collins this morning. "The worst kind of luck cost us one game, and then the umpire cost us of another. We're certainly getting it good and plenty on this trip.

"That's where you're right, cap," put in Chick Stahl, who in the sorest man on the team. "Doesn't seem right not to try when an umpire makes a break like Carpenter."

And that's the way they all talked. They are down on Carpenter, and in the minds of most local fans, justly so. There's no doubt it was a clean gift to the Blues.

Cy Young is due to-day, and if his mates get their eyes on the ball in better shape the Hub nuts should win.

SOUTHERN TENNIS TOURNEY.

WASHINGTON, June 4.—In the South ern tennis tourney's final round, Harry Allen, of New York, defeated J. C. Davidson, 3—2, 4—6, 6—3, 7—5. To-day Allen meets Frank Geoghegan, the present holder of the Southern title.

KING LED FROM START.

From a field of eleven, W. King, Jr., '04, Harvard, won the carrel cup in the single sculls race at the Charles River. The course was a mile straightaway from Harvard bridge to the Union B. R. King led from the start. P. M. Fisher was a good second. The time was 7m. 24s.

N. E. LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Nashua	19	8	.704
Haverhill	18	8	.692
Lawrence	18	12	.600
N. Bedford	14	16	.467
Manchester	12	15	.444
Concord	11	14	.440
Fall River	10	16	.385
Lowell	12	18	.400

N. E. LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Lawrence—Manchester 5, Lawrence 2.
At Haverhill—Concord 3, Haverhill 2.
At Fall River—Lowell 12, Fall River 4.
At Nashua—New Bedford 5, Nashua 4.

BIKE RUN OFF ONE WEEK

As there was not enough entries to make the road event a go, the Lawrence Bicycle Club wisely decided to call the Decatur handicap off to-morrow, and postpone the run till June 18. All entries should be signed to James Hanson, manager, No. 24 Hudson avenue, Lawrence, Mass.

HIGH SCHOOL NINES MEET

Instead of playing Somerville High, June 7, as scheduled, the Dorchester High nine will line up against that nine the day after. This game promises to be the deciding one of the Interscholastic League. It will be played at the Dorchester High Athletic Field.

Pick-ups From the Diamond

Pittsburg players get the best turnout on the ground. After a hard game or with the players jammed into the grunge hash, outside of Kennedy, Kelley and Leach were made good by Barney Dreyfuss.

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Cleveland fans are wondering how long it will be before Athletic Park will be the scene and casualties their cup of woe is overflowing.

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Mike O'Neil, the Cardinal twirler, is a big favorite with the Cleveland fandemonium. He expects to be in harness again inside of a week.

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Reginalds has a record of allowing only fifteen runs in 115 innings.

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Addie Joss is likely to be out of the game for four weeks more. He has gone to Hot Springs, Ark., and will not [illegible] again before that time.

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Manager Kittredge of the Worcesters has a good player in Osteen, when he could use to [illegible] of the Highlanders to card a stir infielder.

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Mutiny in the Pirate camp is developing and Manager Clarke is sore at rounds points. Friction may hurt the pennant chances.

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Billy Lush will not rejoin the Blues just awhile. His lame leg continues to bother him.

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Billy Hart, the umpire in the American Association, had his nose broken by a foul ball. President Grills signed Klein of New York to take the place.

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Dave Cross's outfit was up against it when the bats failed to arrive for the Brown game. Naturally, the other fellows called the turn.

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Roscoe Miller claims that he was given a frost by McGraw and was glad when Dreyfuss put him on the Pirates' list.

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Charlie Hickman says that the Cubs [illegible] Saturday night, and there with nine Lajoies and four Delahantys. The fans would [illegible] it was luck.—Sun.

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Topsy Hartsel is the midget of the baseball world. He is [illegible] and looks like [illegible] and as a waiter he is a [illegible].

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Bill Bernhard wants warm weather. "I'll be in the game a bit then," says Bill.

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Pitcher Wyatt Lee was given his unconditional release by Pittsburg. He was good against Boston, but the other teams found him.

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Barney Dreyfuss is shutting off all reports that Beaumont is on the market. It will cost him $10,000 to get Bill.

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Bill Marshall's many friends believe that he will make good with the Giants, as he was [illegible] a fair trial in Philadelphia.

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Alex Chesbro is keeping the Highlanders near the top of the heap by some lofty twirling. Ten out of thirty games is good work.

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Harry McCormick of the Giants is at his home with an injured leg. He says that the team that beats Pittsburg would win the pennant.

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Catcher Carisch of the Pirates has been traded to Indianapolis of the Eastern League, but can be recalled when wanted.

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Ellsworth of the Highlanders, who was spiked on [illegible] has gone to Mt. Clemens to recover from blood poisoning.

WARM GAME IS EXPECTED

Lovers of the lid and run game will have an opportunity to see a good lively contest when the Dorchester and Brookline nines hook up at Nightingale Field, Dorchester, to-day. Joe Jones are taking a deep interest in the battle, and bid fair to flock to the grounds in large numbers.

White's nine will have some back on him, and Hawkins will be on the firing line for Dorchester, while Wedleigh will take care the foul balls do not hit him in the eye.

Reardon will be in the box for the visitors, while McCarthy will do the backstop work. This is the prize battery that won the championship for the Brooklines, of the Massachusetts Amateur League, last season. Reardon made a brilliant record for games won. He had something like eighteen victories and one defeat to his credit.

Dorchester will play John O'Reilly's South Bostons two games Bunker Hill Day and there is bound to be some hot doings.

HARVARD MAN BEATEN.

NEW YORK, June 4.—In the tourney of the New York Lawn Tennis Club, W. P. Bingden, of Harvard, was beaten by L. E. Mahan, of Columbia, 3—6, 6—1, 6—4.

YALE CREWS WORKING FAST

NEW HAVEN, June 4.—Yale's sturdy crews are now putting on the finishing touches before going to the training quarters at Gale's Ferry. There is only a little more than a week before the oarsmen leave this city. June 8 is the date set for the departure of the second varsity and the freshman and first varsity crews.

The last cut in the varsity squad has been made by Captain Walter Cross. The squad numbers sixteen men, the varsity eight, the varsity four and the substitute four.

Although the date of the races with Harvard is near at hand, the make-up of the first crew is far from settled. Three of the oarsmen have conditions in studies, and if they are not removed before June 8, they will not be able to participate in the championship races. The men involved are: Chase, No. 5; Morse, No. 3, and Weeks, bow.

The varsity eight now rowing is: Stroke, Captain Cross; No. 7, Miller; No. 6, Whittier; No. 5, Chase or Fish; No. 4, Morse; No. 3, H. Scott; No. 2, and bow, Ferguson; coxswain, Le Blanc. The four is: Stroke, Hagden; coxswain, Winslow. The subs are Meier, H. Scott, Stevenson and Whitney.

It has not been decided who will compose the regular varsity four. The selections will hardly be made until the crews reach New London. Two freshman crews are at work, and that is a good deal of men who are sent to New London will not be picked for a week.

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GARDNER NOW AFTER GANS' BIG TITLE

By Boston American Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, June 4.—Efforts are being made to-day to match Jimmy Gardner with Joe Gans for the world's lightweight championship. Dr. Message, of the Battery D, has already Gardner's signature, and expects to hear from Gans to-day.

Gardner administered an awful beating to Buddy Ryan at Battery D last night, and as the new claimant for honors rose to the top of the lightweight class he smuffed under a terrible volley of blows the hopes of Chicago. Ryan withstood a terrible battering, and after fifty-five seconds of the sixth had been fought he stood, beaten to helplessness and subjection, while Gardner, with visions of the lightweight championship before him, hammered away mercilessly at the helpless lump of humanity that stood against the ropes.

Then, in the interest of humanity, Referee Abe Pollock intervened, dragged Gardner from his helpless antagonist and led the beaten Chicago boy to his corner.

After Gans's Title.

A few months ago Jimmy Gardner came to Chicago as "George's brother," and now George is "Jimmy Gardner's brother." A new claimant for the lightweight championship, with seemingly a clear field before him, revealed himself to an astonished crowd that saw him give to Ryan the worst beating that fighter ever had. It was largely due to the fact that Ryan had neglected his training when thousands of dollars of his friends were wagered on him. And, although the crowd cheered him loyally and went into shouts of joy whenever he landed a telling clove on Gardner's anatomy, which was seldom, scores of those present rejoiced to see Ryan beaten because they believed a good beating would do him good, and would make him realize that to be a champion a fighter must neglect drink.

There were but two features to the fight, Ryan's ability to stand punishment and Gardner's ability to give it. The spectators saw a lithe, clever, relentless little fellow, fighting with both hands, driving his terrible, cutting left and his dangerous right in to the body of a human being, but skilful enough to avoid the blows and encowed with the tenacity of a bulldog.

The first round was a test toilet, and in the second Gardner went after his man. Three times he had Ryan all but out. Once when the bell rang at the end of the third round, Ryan, helpless, dazed, unable to defend himself, was tottering, against the ropes, while Gardner, relentless, breathless, was swinging right and left against the reeling head of his stricken opponent.

Ryan Almost Helpless.

Before he could rally Gardner was on top of him, hammering away ferociously, striving to bring his man to the mat. All around the ring Gardner drove Ryan by the sheer force of his blows, with Ryan tottering, but refusing to fall. When the gong rang Ryan was leaning helplessly against the ropes in Gardner's corner, and the end seemed in sight.

In the fourth, when Gardner came on determined to end the struggle, Ryan rallied fiercely, and fought the best round of the evening. He landed two telling rights that checked Gardner's attack, but still the Lowell fighter had all the advantage of the round.

The fifth was fierce. Ryan went out to retrieve the day, but was stopped suddenly by Gardner's hard straight lefts, and then Gardner started in to use his hand as a butcher uses a hamburger steak. He chopped and cut and slashed away at Ryan for two minutes, and sent the Chicago boy reeling all around the ring. But he could not find the vital spot, although at all times he seemed to have power enough behind his blows to finish any man of his weight.

Ryan tried a desperate rally late in the round, but it was useless, and he finished tired and groggy. Then came the slaughter in the sixth, and the merciful interference of the referee.

GARDNER AND RYAN, WHO FOUGHT IN CHICAGO RING.

JIMMY GARDNER.

Here are several characteristic attitudes of those clever fighters, Jimmy Gardner, of Lowell, and Buddy Gardner, of Chicago. They met in the Windy City last night, and the Eastern fighter won easily. The photographs were taken for the BOSTON AMERICAN in Chicago.

BUDDY RYAN.

GRIFFO NO MATCH FOR JOE GANS

Special to the Boston American.

BALTIMORE, June 4.—The referee's decision in favor of Joe Gans in the bout at the Eastern Athletic Club to-night between the lightweight champion and Young Griffo after the men had sent twenty rounds to the canvass five times in the seventh round, when Referee Jim O'Brien stepped in and put an end to the one-sided contest by awarding the decision to Gans.

The condition of the match called for Gans to send Griffo to the ground in ten rounds or forfeit his end of the purse. In addition to Gans' end Griffo got the extra additional round that he succeeded in staying after it.

The Kid Outclassed.

Griffo plainly showed that he is no match for Gans at any stage of the game. Furthermore his blows lacked steam and those that did land on Gans' body failed to bother him. Gans was again in good condition and had been extremely anxious to meet his opponent after the latter's poor showing against Jeffries. He was game and died in harness. He landed a number of times, but Gans scored enough to allow Griffo to land a blow to give him the opportunity to return one which might result in a knockout.

The first round was rather tame, with Griffo rushing a bit towards the close. No damage was done. The following round was a bit faster, with Gans sending home a series of short body blows to Griffo unwisely rushed matters. The third round opened with Griffo sending a left to the face. Gans returned the blow with a good uppercut. A right and left to the jaw and a clinch ended affairs. There was nothing doing in the fourth.

In the fifth Gans began landing to the end, Griffo started to rush his opponent and he received a stinging right on the jaw. Another to the same spot sent Griffo down for a count of nine. He had scarcely got to his feet when a right to the head dropped him to the floor on all fours. The gong saved him from further trouble. He was on the floor to the bell in the following round.

The seventh round brought the end. A right to the jaw again floored him for four. He was dazed but was game in rapid succession, when the referee stopped the bout.

HALF-CENTURY CYCLE RUN

Open to all riders, the go-as-you please half-century run of the Ascension Wheelmen of Roxbury and Arlington will start on turn will be held to-morrow, starting in two divisions from Copley square at 8:30 a. m., and an hour later for the fast division pace. Beautiful souvenir pins will be given to those who finish.

Entry blanks can be obtained from Captain E. Crafts at the clubrooms, No. 1902 Washington street. Should the weather be unfavorable, the run will be held on the following Sunday.

FORBES FARM'S FUTURE.

Forbes' arm is not lost to the horse breeding industry by a good deal. Superintendent Hall has over forty horses now under his care, and more are arriving each day.

CHANCE FOR WALKERS

"Mike" Donovan, the pedestrian, has a number of dates booked for Boston and vicinity for the near future. Donovan is training at Salem, and has sent out a challenge to any walker in the world for a side purse of $1,000.

AUTOS TO RACE AT ORCHARD BEACH

Plans are being made by Boston automobilists for holding a racing tournament on the sands of Old Orchard Beach, Me., this Summer. It was believed that a course could be laid out there for a fifteen-mile race, but an investigation of the beach puts this out of the question. A couple of shorter courses, have, however, been found.

The possibilities of the beach were investigated by W. H. Lowe, of the Massachusetts Automobile Club; Walter Schmonk, well known as a driver of fast cars; H. C. Reynolds and J. S. Hathaway. Leving Boston in the evening in a White touring car, they drove through the night to the beach, in order to be there at the low tide for measurements.

Mr. Lowe and his companions found a stretch of sand sixteen miles in length, but so cut up by various obstacles that it would not be possible to obtain a straight away speedway long enough to hold the fifteen-mile race proposed between Bowdoin and Stevens.

A three-mile course could be laid out, and possibly a five-mile stretch for some of the events, but not more than that. A pavilion runs directly across the beach opposite Old Orchard Railroad station, and it is this structure, with its huge iron posts driven into the sand at ten-yard intervals, that spoils the best for a five-mile course, unless the operators would be willing to take up the posts between the iron posts.

The width of the pavilion there is, however, a smooth, hard stretch of sand seven miles in length, brought to an end only by a sewer, which could be run into the the explorers found this to be from 200 to 300 feet wide and as hard as asphalt so hard, in fact, that the tires of the machines in which the party drove there riding failed to leave the least impression.

The two-mile stretch on the south of the pavilion is also very fine, and the speedway would extend at least two miles further for a straight run, were it not for rocks that make their way across the beach. If several days could be devoted this stretch would be the proper course on which to hold the speed trials.

TRINITY'S ATHLETIC LEADER.

HARTFORD, June 4.—At a meeting of the Trinity Athletic Association Cornelius W. Rennie, of Babylon, L. I., was re-elected captain of the track team for another year. He is a mile and two-mile runner.

NEIL WILL FIGHT FORBES

By Boston American Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 4.—Jimmy Neil has in Chicago will try hard to get inside the Waverly A. C. when Frankie Neil, of San Francisco, bantam champion, attempts to fight Harry Forbes, of this city, for the title, on June 17.

Though the little chaps go only six rounds, it is believed a winner will be found before the time is up. When the two met last year at Oakland, Cal., Neil knocked Forbes out in the seventh round.

Since then Harry has trained hard for this battle, to receive the opportunity by which he held. "I will surely reverse the decision by scoring a victory over Neil this time," says Forbes, and the Chicago City admirers. Neil smiles and says, "It's my turn in a walk, and I expect will a sleep wallop." The bout promises to be one of the big betting events of the season here, as many do not think Neil can beat Forbes so quickly as before in a limited round bout.

Under the articles each boy will weigh 120 pounds ringside and forfeits of $250 will be posted. The Waverly A. C. offers a purse of $2,000, with 50 per cent. privilege.

Sig Hart, manager of Bud Ryan, is snapping up all the money he can get at 3 to 1 on Jimmy Gardner against the Chicago boxer, who clashes he will knock Gardner out to-night at the Battery D. A. C.

Jimmy is training with Kid Dwyer George, and says he will win, and then will tackle any lightweight in the world.

NOTHING DOING AT READVILLE

Owing to the dangerous condition of the Readville track, caused by the heavy rains of the past four days, it has been considered advisable to again postpone the automobile races in the opinion of the officials and others familiar with the track at Readville it will take several days of bright sunlight to dry up the track so that it will be safe for such fast work as will be cut out by the entries for the several contests. It is impossible to say at this time what effect this postponement will have on the entry list, although it is believed that all the machines now in this city will remain over for the races on next Saturday. Two additional entries were received yesterday, one, that made by Mr. Wallace of the thirty horsepower "Black Death," just imported from France, and the machine which killed its maker, M. Henault. The second entry is that of the Peerless racer, which was built for the Gordon Bennett contest of a year ago and which I will on Saturday next be driven by its present operator, Mr. Joe Tracy, who sent it on a successful tour at Ormond recently.

BILLINGS WILL BEAT BIG MARKS

Through a close friend in this city, C. K. G. Billings has made known some of his plans for record smashing during the coming season to the BOSTON AMERICAN. It appears Mr. Billings will make, with certain horses in his stables, assaults on about every record which a trotting or pacing horse holds. With Lou Dillon he will first essay to reduce her own record of 1:52½ to sulky for one mile, and late in the season, probably at Memphis, he will make an effort to beat the two-mile record, 4:17, made by Cresceus at Memphis two years ago.

She will start at Cleveland more than during the season to lower her own record of Maud S., 2:08¾, to a high wheel sulky, made at that track nearly a score of years ago. At the same time she will attempt to lower her own record of 2:05 to four wheels, made at this track last year. This attempt will be made to set at rest the protests of Robert Bonner's sons that Lou Dillon made her mark with ball bearing wheels, where as Maud S. used one of the old fashioned plain axle kind. She will also start to beat her mile wagon record of 2:00, with Mr. Billings driving, and the two-mile record, 4:04½, made by Dexter in 1865. The three-mile harness record of Nightingale, 6:55½, and the three-mile wagon record of Prince, 7:53½, would appear to be easily within her grasp.

With Sir Albert S., Mr. Billings will try to beat the record for pacing geldings, 2:01¾, made by Little Boy, but to establish the wagon record for pacers he must beat Dan Patch's mark of 1:57½, made at Memphis last year.

BEATEN BY DOR. HIGH

Dorchester High defeated South Boston High at Dorchester in a dual interscholastic meet yesterday by the score of 5 to 3.

Dorchester had everything their own way up to the 20th inning, when with two men down, errors by Rose and Light, a man hit, and two hits gave South Boston the runs and kept the game full. Dorchester was away up in the air and it looked good for South Boston, when Foley ran into a batted ball, retiring the side.

The features of the game were the batting and fielding of Clapp, the fielding of O'Flaherty and a throw from deep center to third by Murphy. The score:

Dorchester H.	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
So. Boston H.	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3

NEWSPAPER B. B. LEAGUE.

Representatives of the Herald, Post, Journal and AMERICAN met yesterday to organize a newspaper baseball league. Committees were appointed on rules, uniforms, etc., and to visit other offices that the number of teams may be decided upon.

THE BRUISER NOT THE BOXER IS THE SAFE MAN TO BET ON

SAN FRANCISCO, June 4.—When clever Marith Canole boxed Britt at Colma last Winter the old-timers pronounced him a second Dempsey. There was something at once stylish and dashing about his every pose and his clean-cut way of sending in his punches. The fact that Britt wore him down and turned the tables completely after a punishing encounter was not regarded as a permanent setback for the Fall River lightweight.

Excuses were found for him on the score that he lacked experience and was unused to twenty-five-round journeys, and it was freely predicted that Canole would be heard from again. He was spoken of as a reminder of the old days, and sports who are old enough to become reminiscent held that in pugilism, as in other things, the old way is the best.

Canole Behind Times.

It almost looks now, though, as if Canole had been born a generation too late. He met "Battling" Nelson in this city a week or so ago, and although he started out in the same free fighting way he did in his go with Britt, he had to succumb to Nelson's slow but sure methods in the eighteenth round.

It all seems to suggest that cleverness alone does not carry a man as far in modern boxing as it did a decade ago, even. The safe man to string your bets on now is the bruiser in whom the law of compensation has operated in such a way as to produce a well-balanced fighting machine.

Plenty of endurance is the first qualification, seemingly, and then a big fund of bulldog grit, together with sufficient patience to prevent uphill work from becoming discouraging. For the rest a natural love of fisticuffs and any old speciality in the line of a swing or a jolt that can be relied upon to reach the mark occasionally will complete the recipe for a latter-day pugilistic bread-winner.

Has Reserve Force.

"Battling" Nelson is of this kind. His work is as devoid of scientific effects as the monotonous rumble of a treadmill, but he is there with the reserve force and the finishing punch when weariness or a damaging blow weakens the other fellow's defence.

He is a crouching fighter, one of the new brand of walloping whalebacks, of which order, Jeffries, Ruhlin, Corbett, is the original high priest. Now we have Eddie Hanlon, Jimmie Britt, "Battling" Nelson and a few more, and it looks as if the new type of fighter the United States has developed is to rule the roost for some time to come.

Wm. Rodenbach, "amateur heavyweight champion of the United States and Canada," is our guest for a brief spell, and when he returns to his own New York he will bear with him a silver trophy as roomy as a wine cooler. He became the possessor of the coveted mug by defeating our man Berger, hitherto known variously as "the pride of California," "the amateur champion of the Pacific Coast" and "the coming champion of the world."

Peculiar Style.

Although five inches shorter and twenty-five pounds lighter than Berger, "Body" Rodenbach took like a pot plant. It would be hard to define the visitor's style of boxing. He bears about the same relation to the commonly accepted ideal of an up-to-date glove expert as a trick bicyclist does to a performer like Major Taylor. He is a creature of surprises. Instead of ducking, he squatted like a frog and rammed in a left body punch while in that flattened condition. Then he'd spring in the air and jab Berger in the nose. It was harder to corner than a Santa Barbara flea, and he simply made Berger's gray matter and left the burly Californian feeling nothing.

Before the bout began Rodenbach insisted there should be no hitting in clinches. This knocked out a big part of Berger's game, but he carried his point, much to the dismay of Berger's seconds, who expected him to pile up points by a straight arm fighting.

The spectators wondered why Rodenbach was allowed to have his way, for the reason that they had just witnessed a tourney of amateur bouts in which "stop at all times" seemed to be the slogan.

Anyhow, Rodenbach would have won without under any set of house rules. The two judges were of an opinion in regard as to the merits of the affair, and Referee Irving Graney said there wasn't the remotest room for a disagreement. Under the circumstances the amateur function passes into the realm of ordinary crimes, being charged up against the long-suffering public sore.

Notes of the Harness Horses.

Henry Toppan, who trained The Aristocrat, 2:12¼, last season, is now second trainer for Henry Tiller at Readville. Toppan has an exceptionally strong stable, having picked out what he considers the choicest colts from the Forbes horses.

John Hiltz is well pleased with his green pacer by Heir at Law he purchased at the late sale. Yesterday after the track dried out he drove him a mile in 2.20, the best turn for the season for a horse without a record over one of the local courses.

J. W. Taylor of Melrose has bought the road colt by Binger, dam Joey Bird, by Jay Bird, from Hither a Palmer, who bid it off at the Forbes' sale. Hither Grove's dam a mile at Pittsburg some years ago in 2:14¾, last quarter in 31¼ seconds.

W. L. Daniels of Medford is very well pleased with the black stallion Gaudaur, 2:26¾, by Guy Wilkes. Baird Palmer worked him an easy mile, one morning this week, and the last quarter in 34 seconds.

All the old horses around the Hub were not in the work horse parade. Superintendent Hall drove to Readville yesterday a chestnut gelding, twenty-nine years old. He was by Wahlf II. Chief, sire of Great Eastern, 2:18, the horse who holds the present saddle record, 2:15¾.

For a right smart profit, lands Kneeland sold Keene Baron, by Baron Wilkes, to H. S. Tenny of Pittsburg, Pa., he having bought Mary B., 2:10, and several more good ones of the Coldstream sale.

Millard Sanders, who trains the trotting queen, is sure he can put the saddle record below 2:05 if Mr. Billings will consent to allow him to ride. Lou Dillon a mile in public. This is a strong statement, for it means that the fleet chestnut mare would have to go the distance more than ten seconds faster than any horse or trotter has ever gone with a man on its back.

Ed. Landy, the clever young trainer, who was with Joe Middleby several years, is now assistant for Jimmie Carpenter at Readville.

Pleasant Morgan by Binger, the colt Dave Mercer says will trot in two minutes as a five year old, is now in Henry Tiller's stable at Readville.

BIKERS' OLD TIME MEET

The second old-time wheelmen's meet will take place to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock at Jamaica Pond, corner of Perkins and Chestnut streets. Many of the clubs and also individual riders who enjoyed the last meet, May 1, have signified their intention of being present.

Since the last meet was held a great deal of interest has been displayed by the wheelmen hereabouts, who have been repeatedly asking when the next event of that kind would take place. So fast is the other cities they have followed the way of the last meet was gotten up, and have met with big success.

At this meeting an announcement will be made of a gigantic outing for wheelmen which will be held on some Saturday afternoon in July, details of which will be made later.

All cyclists, both men and women, will be welcome.

STATE TENNIS TOURNEY.

Beginning Wednesday, June 15, and continuing the rest of the week, the eleventh annual tournament for the lawn tennis championship of the State of Massachusetts will be held on the grounds of the Longwood Cricket Club at Longwood. All players who are residents of Massachusetts are invited to enter this tournament.

Play will begin Wednesday at 3:30 p. m. All matches except the challenge match will be best two in three, advantage sets. The challenge match will be best three in five advantage sets. Entries will be received up to 4 p. m. Tuesday, June 14, by R. C. Seaver, post office box 395, Boston.

AGASSIZ BOYS ASK FAIR PLAY

An indignant protest, because of a stoning sustained at the hands of some hostile rooters, was upheld in a ruling and an alleged technical violation of the rules of organized baseball, has been made by the Agassiz baseball boys to the executive committee of the Boston Grammar School League.

According to the story told the BOSTON AMERICAN by Manager Schreiber, Captain Perkins and Morgan and McGaffney, players of the Agassiz team, First Baseman Murray, of the Agassiz team, was declared out in a game to last Friday during the fourth inning of the last championship contest against Agassiz because a couple of dub hitters, who couldn't touch the Agassiz pitcher, were pulled out of their regular sportsmanship to at the home plate.

As the game was lost 6 to 5 by Agassiz, and their record would have been one of straight victory in the league otherwise, a protest was made to the executive committee. This learned body failed to order the game fought over again, as two members of the eight only, to-night in any league, showed up to settle the big question.

Manager Schreiber declares that the rough-house tactics of the Allston rooters, and decision of the umpire, should not be fought on a neutral diamond under an umpire of their choice, but on the grounds of the school nines. This request will doubtless be accorded by the masters who make up the school committee.

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THE STEPMOTHER,

OR, TWO LITTLE SAILOR BOYS.

ADAPTED FROM WALTER HOWARD'S PLAY, "TWO LITTLE SAILOR BOYS."

I HAVE A HEART FULL OF LOVE FOR YOU AND FAITH IN THE FUTURE.

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CHAPTER I.

"Look Inside This Broken Heart."

LUCY, the parlor maid, sang while she collected the tea cups and napkins on the lawn of Admiral Grey's residence in Brooklyn.

It was a spot that inspired singing and it was the mouth of song and the heart's thanksgiving, when life is at its tenderest, royal June. The scene was like a carpet of green velvet, dotted with the pink and crimson glow of roses. Through the maze of old oaks could be seen patches of the warm copper of the old mansion. The salt savor of the sea mingled with the perfume of the roses. Through the open windows of the distant drawing room came a thread of sweet sound.

"It's Miss Millie at the piano, bless her!" said Lucy, addressing the cream jug. "And Lucy, from very lightheartedness and the spell of the place and the time, again broke into song.

"And every Jolly Jack will soon be coming back."

A laughing, boyish voice made merry disword in the refrain.

"What cheer, Lucy?"

Jack Jolly bounded over the low stone wall at a leap, his rapid descent a menace to the integrity of the dishes.

"What cheer, Jack?" Lucy swung the tray back upon one of the garden tables and continued to the young sailor.

"Is the Admiral at home?"

"He is that, and so is Mrs. Admiral, and we're all made to know it."

"Yes, of course, being just back from a cruise, you mayn't have heard of our new commander, Straight Lee Thorne a month ago, and the blessed house has been turned upside down. For Miss Millie? I can't think how she puts up with it."

"Well, I've brought a message from the Navy Yard for the Admiral."

"Give it to me, then, and I'll take it to him."

"Bless your bright eyes! There ain't no hurry. The sooner I deliver my message the sooner I'll have to shove off again, and I've got lots of news to tell you. The message is from Captain Tregarthen."

"From the Lieutenant Tregarthen?"

"No, from the Captain. You don't keep up with the times in the Navy Yard, Lucy. Yesterday this time he was a lieutenant, but today, in the afternoon, the news came, it's captain."

"Mr. Tregarthen promoted? Well, I am glad."

"You aint the only glad one, either. Every man and boy on board the Skylark is just as pleased as if they got a month's extra pay."

Lucy, a born skimbo, surveyed Jack's bronzed face and loose-knit figure thoughtfully, but with absent eyes.

"Not every one, Jack. I can mention one gentleman who won't be pleased to hear the news."

"Oh! You mean Mr. Redstone? No, I don't think there is much love lost between that two old chums. But I'll just step inside and give this to the Admiral. It's the Army and Navy Journal, you know, headlines, Lucy. Promotion of Lieutenant Noel Tregarthen to rank of captain in recognition of distinguished services in the Philippines. I don't think that's good to you, Lucy? We follows on the ship nearly twelve eight flags and all when we heard about it. Won't the Admiral be pleased?"

"Yes, and what's more important, won't Miss Millie be pleased? You know, Jack, it's my opinion that they think a lot of each other. I've seen her look at him, and then I've seen 'em look at one another, and then he smiles and she blushes, and when things get to that state it's all over with the girl. I know the symptoms. I've suffered from them myself."

"And so have I, Lucy. I'm suffering with 'em now. If you could only look inside this broken heart!"

Jack Jolly cast off his blouse in the region of the pocket and made a tragic gesture. Lucy laughed.

"Silly! Hearts don't break any more."

"They do, Lucy. I'm carrying one about with me now, under this jumper."

"How did it broke it?"

"You did."

"Me, Jack?"

"Yes, Lucy, you! When I first set eyes on you I had a heart as big and as sound as a cocoanut. The minute you land eyed on me I felt it stretch like a piece of India rubber. The next time I saw you, Lucy, I felt it crack, and every time we met afterward I felt it crackin' and crackin' until today, and then—"

"Then, Jack clasped his side dramatically with both of his big, brown hands, without a word of warning I felt it bust. And bust it is, and bust it will remain, till you gather up the pieces and glues 'em together again."

Lucy clapped her chubby hands in delight.

"Why, that's poetry."

"It's truth."

"Well, that's the first time I ever knew that broken hearts could be patched up like broken china."

"They can, Lucy." As Jack's argument grew more impassioned he moved nearer. "It's the cement of love that does it. Take a small bottle of love, pour a little on the edges of the broken parts, press firmly together for a few minutes, and stand in a cool place to dry, and there's not stronger than ever it was. Oh, Lucy, un corn your bottle of love."

"I haven't got one, Jack."

"You have every woman has one."

Lucy retreated a step or two to get the necessary perspective upon Jack's person and intentions. She looked her arms. There was something approaching sternness in her round, pink face.

"No I understand, Mr. Jack Jolly, that you are proposing to me."

Jack looked at her in foolish astonishment. He had a varied career in love, no girl had ever adopted so judicial an air with him. But he valiantly attended the charge.

"That's rather a police court bronch of promise way of putting it, but that I am Lucy."

"Then you want my hand in marriage, Jack? Are you going to ask me, sweet now. My mother always said, 'Never trust a sailor. You never know once they're out of your sight what they're up to.'"

Jack's big hand struck the back of the settee with emphasis.

"I want more than your hand. I want every bit of you."

"Then this is my answer. You love young Captain Tregarthen?"

"Of course I do. I would go to the end of the world for him."

"And I wouldn't go further than that for my Miss Millie! Hasn't it ever struck you that they are in love with each other?"

"Not another word, Jack. You've started on our last voyage! I saw them saying good-by on the deck."

"So did I—and looking as if they could eat one another."

"Just so."

"Well, Jack, this is by answer: On the day that your captain marries Miss Mildred I'll marry you."

"Will you, Lucy?"

"I will, Jack."

"Then seal the bargain."

A cough from some one behind the rose bushes on the veranda made the pair separate and turn blushing faces in that direction.

Admiral Grey, tall, stately, with a gentle face that belied his commanding carriage, came down the steps and looked curiously at the flushed parlor maid and her discomfited companion.

"What's the matter, Jolly?"

"Nothing, sir. I came with a message to you, sir, from Captain Tregarthen, sir."

Admiral Grey received the copy of the Army and Navy Journal, but continued to regard the messenger with curiously disconcerting gaze.

"It seems you brought a message for Lucy, also."

"Yes, sir. No, sir." Jack lurched toward the gate, stumbling over a hedge, to his greater embarrassment and Lucy's consternation. "That is, sir—good afternoon, Admiral."

The Admiral leisurely seated himself beneath one of the largest of the giant cedars.

"Ask your mistress to come to me here."

"Yes, sir." Lucy controlled in confusion. "Which of my mistresses, sir, Mrs. Grey, sir?" She fled without waiting for the Admiral's reply.

A moment later a slight, lovely girl, in a fleecy, floating gown of white, appeared in the wide doorway, an exquisite picture in the mellow light of the house. She advanced smilingly to the stalwart figure half screened by the newspaper.

"Did you send for me, father?"

"No, my dear. I was asking for Lola."

Lucy, who had returned for a missing cup, said, "Ask Mrs. Grey to join me on the lawn."

Mildred Grey's sunny face grew suddenly grave. She laid her hand upon his arm with an appealing gesture, reminiful of a frightened child.

"You don't seem to ever want me now, dad."

Admiral Grey looked up from the newspaper, perplexed at the fretfulness of her tone.

"Nonsense, child! I always want you."

"Perhaps it is my fancy, but ntitle you came back from your bridal tour we were all in all to each other."

The Admiral patted the small hand clutching his sleeve.

"We are still all in all to each other."

"But not as we used to be, dad."

"Although I now have a wife, my love for you has in no wise altered. You will be getting married some day, and then you'll find that I have not forgotten your interests."

The girl sank upon the grass at his feet and clasped his knee with impetuous fingers.

"But, father, dear, I was not thinking of myself then. I don't want this woman to take all your love from Cyril and me. Let us have a little for my dead mother's sake."

The Admiral, ignoring, as most men do, the potency of women's moods, returned to his paper.

"You will learn to love Lola and in time she will become your mother's place in your heart."

"What! Be to me what my own mother was?"

"I mean she will be your companion, your friend."

The girl arose, a new aloofness wrapping round her girlish beauty as a veil.

"Perhaps a girl may have many friends. She can only have one mother."

A rich, contralto voice floated out to them from the wide, old-fashioned hall.

"In the garden? Very well, I will go to him."

The Admiral, glancing at his daughter's perturbed face, raised a warning finger. "Hush! Lola is coming."

CHAPTER II.

"Only of My Mother."

DESCRIPTION that every one applied to Admiral Grey's bride was "magnetic."

Mildred, looking at her now with half-frightened, half-admiring eyes, was conscious of the curious power, quite apart from the beauty of her regular features or the brilliant dark eyes, with their drooping eyelids, the grace of a slight yet round form, the charm of a well-bred studied manner, of the woman.

"Perhaps it is her youth, that is like a swift sunrise, illuminating her face into a perpetual beauty," reflected Mildrey Grey. "Perhaps—"

The sunrise flooded the face with a new glory. A rosier hue and a brighter sweet addressed them.

"What secrets are these, you two conspirators?" She shook her finger archly as her husband made place for her on the settee beside him.

"Nothing of importance, dearest." The Admiral fondly returned her smile.

"Then it is a mode of torture Mildred's gentle voice.

"Only on my mother," she said.

"Let us talk of something pleasant. Of some fashionable function. When I was called before, he mentioned that he would be in town. So, no doubt, early we are expectedly closed. When it opened the following morning, Mr. Jones came up my way to church and asked to sit with me. I consented. It was also Easter Sunday, however I don't make but does not see me home, although he still continues to attend church.

What shall I do? It evidently thinks me a fool. I don't like to give him up. Do you think it would be abundantly fair for me to invite him to dinner for A. and that I went to church with him Mrs. Grey pouted at Mildred's enthusiasm to B, as he did not make an actual engagement with me? Would that be would see me at church?

"But, dad, you could manage to tell it in some way that you did not care for A. Don't you think yourself that you have been rather inclined to flirt with Noel? If there is any renew your friendship with B you had better cease flirting with either men.

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

While on a business trip through the West, I met a young lady with whom I grew fond of corresponding. She returned my affection, and on my departure for the East we made arrangements for a correspondence which has continued up to the present time.

I have never formally engaged, but had promised to wait until the early part of next year, when I shall again be in the West.

I have lately begun to realize that, on my part, at least, it is only a case of friendship.

Also, I have recently made the acquaintance of an Eastern young lady, whom I am sure I could love dearly, and who, I believe can love another. I am confident she loves me, but I am afraid she considers me in a way that will lead to love.

Now, I feel that it is time to, must I wait until I go West and tell her face to face, or may I write her now? Please advise me by letter.

I wish to act honorably with both and should very much dislike to lose the friendship of either.

If you are quite sure that you like the Eastern girl best you had better write and tell the other girl the truth. It is too bad that you did not know your own mind before you led her to believe that you intended asking her to marry you. Men so often make mistakes of this kind, and it is very hard on the girls. To you it was merely a pleasant pastime, to her it was deadly earnest. I don't quite see how you can expect to retain her friendship.

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

Will you help me out of this argument?

My husband argues that it is proper for me or any other married woman to sign Mary J. So and So. Which is proper?

BIONARA.

YOUR way is proper. You should sign Your Christian name, as Mary S——.

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am a young lady eighteen years of age and have had a gentleman friend of mine call on me at my home about three times, but every time he comes he stays till nearly seven o'clock, and for that reason I do not ask him up oftener, and my mother says next time he calls and stays so late she will certainly speak to him about it. What do I love him dearly and would not like to have my mother insult him, will you please advise me what to do? Thanking you in advance I remain, A. L.

WHY not tell him yourself that he must not stay quite so late. You need not hesitate to do so, as you can do it in the nicest way possible. Girls often have to tell men that they must go home a little earlier. The man, if he has any sense, will take no offence.

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

Four years back, when I was nineteen, I met a very pleasant young man of whom I think very highly. Some time ago he asked me to marry him and I refused, because he seems afraid to present me to his parents.

Do you know why he hesitates? Don't you think it wrong on his part? For I am sure if he likes me enough to introduce me to his parents he should certainly think it his duty to do so. And I also consider it unjustice to his parents and to me) let them see me.

I do not think they are aware of our acquaintance. DESPAIR.

I WOULD not become engaged to him until he is willing to present you to his parents as his future wife. Of course he may have some good reason for not doing so, but secret engagements should be avoided if possible. I think your ideas on the subject are quite right. Under no circumstances will he tells his parents.

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

Having read your good advice in the BOSTON AMERICAN I would like your advice on this subject: I am a young woman, twenty-five years old, and have been keeping company with a young man thirty years old for the past two years, and as it was less year I took the opportunity to ask him to marry me. He was somewhat surprised, and said he loved me enough, but under the present circumstances he could not support a wife, and would not think of such a thing, but even to be engaged, as he did not believe in long engagements, but wants me to wait for a year. Now this he can see his way clear as I have a home, but have to work out part of the day. What do you think, Fairfax, is he right, or am I, and would you advise me to give him up or not? ANXIOUS.

DON'T you know that the leap year proposal is merely a "fairy tale." No sensible person ever takes it seriously. You should not dream of asking a man to marry you. Of course, he thought you were joking. Next time you see him pretend you were only in fun. Men like to do the proposing themselves. The man answered you very nicely. I think. Show more pride and dignity and perhaps he will woo you instead of your wooing him.

Girls, Make Yourselves as Beautiful as You Can.

BY BEATRICE FAIRFAX.

That woman's mood is often dependent upon the gown she wears may seem a very frivolous statement; nevertheless, it is a true one. A well-fitting, up-to-date gown will give confidence and assurance to the most timid, shy woman.

The badly dressed woman will slink into a room, eager to get behind any shelter, miserably conscious of critical eyes. The same woman, well dressed, will advance composedly, easily, secure in the knowledge that she can run with safety the gauntlet of feminine criticism.

There is untold comfort in the frou frou of silken petticoats, and with a train swishing behind her woman is equal to almost any emergency.

Little women are especially fond of trains. In a short-cut skirt a little woman is always conscious of her size. She feels insignificant, as though she must stand to make herself heard; and, oh, how she envies her tall, swan-like, dignified sisters! Put a train on her, and she loses that feeling entirely. Her height measures, in her own eyes at least, from the tip of that train to the crown of her head. She feels dignified, impressive.

Your true woman loves pretty clothes, and pray, why shouldn't she? What harm is there in trying to make yourself look as well as possible for the benefit of your fellow creatures?

It is a disputed question whether women dress to please men or women. The latter are much more easily pleased than the former, as they are almost invariably swayed by the dictates of that capricious lady, Dame Fashion.

Men, on the contrary, care not one whit about a thing being fashionable; they like it because it looks well on the person who wears it.

A woman is more pleased by a compliment from a man than from a woman on her personal appearance, because the other woman may simply mean that the clothes look well, whereas the man means that she herself looks well.

Since it is so natural that women should love pretty clothes, it is too bad that every woman should not have them. How much envy, malice and hatred would be avoided if we all had the pretty gowns and hats we long for.

Strong-minded, superior people will tell you that it is the heart and head of a woman that count, not the personal adornment.

Of course, the strong-minded ones are right—they always are; but if you are clever and good and pretty, why not add to your charms by wearing pretty clothes? You can be just as clever, just as good in pretty clothes as in dowdy ones, and far prettier.

Don't feel crushed when these superior people make sarcastic remarks about women and dress and vanity. Go right on making yourself look as pretty as possible.

Let the superior ones take the risk of looking like frumps; you take the risk of being as womanly and as frivolous, in the matter of clothes, as you can.

And bear this in mind: If you do dress to please men, avoid everything in the least degree masculine in your attire. Men like the dainty girl with her frills and furbelows, not the starched, hard-hatted, severely clad Juno.

Pot-Pourri.

ROSE season is almost here, and if you will follow this recipe you may keep their fragrance with you long after the flowers are gone: Place in a rose jar one pound each of whole dried rose leaves and dried lavender, one half pound of coarse crushed orris root and two ounces each of broken cloves, broken allspice and broken cinnamon.

The Loose Mantle Coat.

WE have adjured it *for* a long time, but have come back to it now, a "slip on" which is quickly slipped off. The fashionable mantles are chiefly made in light fawn soft cloths, smooth-faced or fancy woven, and those very light tones are in the majority; there are a great many cream. The gray and the black are not quite so fashionable, but are very much worn, especially at this immediate season when there are days on which we are glad to give up our furs, yet hardly know how to replace them. The buttons upon these coats are often a marked feature; indeed, the jewelled buttons, and the stone buttons of by no means so costly material, but effective, are having an immense following. The blister pearl, the amazonite, the matrix opal and the matrix turquoise all serve as a ground for the introduction of what appear to be rubies, sapphires and diamonds. Some buttons are cameos, and some are wrought in metal, carrying out the military elements now so necessary an adjunct to success. We have heralded the upstanding collar in favor of the one that turns down, and although the double-breasted Prussian still lurcy coat has been repossessed in such several style that we are not so fond of it as we were, there is still a following of such a cut, but not invariably in blue or black cloths, but in lighter shades.

Imported Dimity.

IMPORTED dimity, with imported work on the ruffled ruffles, and the neatest of stitching done in the loosely-knit fashion of "the other side," give value to some very pretty dressing jackets, now on sale. For these there is a varying scale of prices, much depending upon the shape as well as the amount of needlework. One in a rather jaunty style has rounded front corners and a kimono back. It is in a white background, with stripes and dots of bright baby blue.

The Land of Regret.

THERE is a city whose gates are wide,
Its pavements pure and clean,
Where shadowy forms flit side by side
On the road called "Might Have Been."
But folks walk there with their heads bowed low,
And heavy eyelids wet,
For every corner is labeled so
In this, "The Land of Regret."

They meet the ghosts of those other years
In dreams of memory sweet,
And wet with passionate, frenzied tears
The graves which lie at their feet.
But never, long as their lives shall last,
Can they again forget
Who once have walked with ghosts of the past
In this, "The Land of Regret."

They feel the touch of a hand grown still,
Its fingers softly press,
The tender pressure of kisses thrill
Their own in a fond caress.
Ah, me! but pity the folk who stray
Where long the sun has set,
And wet with tears their gloves who are laid away
In this, "The Land of Regret."

—Exchange.

ADVICE TO THE LOVELORN

BY BEATRICE FAIRFAX

WHO IS BOSTON'S PRETTIEST GIRL?

MISS LILLIAN SMITH.

PHOTO BY HORNER.

TO-DAY'S BEAUTY CONTEST CANDIDATE.

Pretty Girls of Boston!

SEND IN YOUR PHOTOGRAPHS.

THE BOSTON AMERICAN has been asked by numerous correspondents to name the prettiest girl in Boston. The question is herewith passed along to the readers of the AMERICAN for them to decide. A half hour's walk on any of the leading streets of our city, in the Common, the Public Garden, the Parks, Commonwealth avenue and in the adjacent suburbs, discloses the fact there are more pretty young women and girls to be found in and about Boston than in any other city in the United States.

So that the readers of the BOSTON AMERICAN may form themselves into a great jury to decide the question, we request that photographs, properly authenticated, be sent to the BEAUTY EDITOR, BOSTON AMERICAN Office, 80 and 82 Summer Street.

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SCHOOLBOY WORLD OF BOSTON AWAITING WITH GREAT INTEREST DORCHESTER COMPETITION AT THE HIGH SCHOOL GROUNDS WHERE ATHLETES WILL MEET

Outcome of Games Will Give Information for Selection of St. Louis Team.

THE schoolboys of Boston are deeply interested in the meet that is to take place on the Dorchester High School grounds on the afternoon of June 17. It is believed that all the representative athletes of the Grammar and High Schools of this city will be fairly represented there.

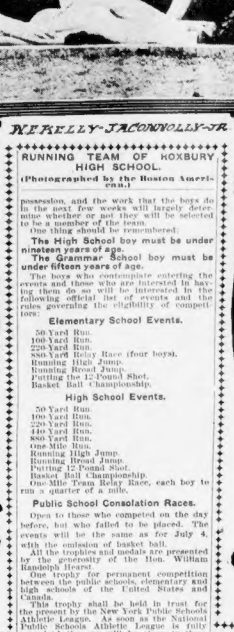
The outcome of this competition will afford information which will enable the committee in charge of the matter to select the best representatives to go as the guests of William Randolph Hearst to St. Louis and compete in the Olympian games that are to take place July 4, 5 and 6.

Dorchester means to be well represented at St. Louis. Among the boys who will be on the team, it is expected, will be Davidson, Chamberlain, Hayes, Riley and Allen.

SOME BOSTON BOYS WHO MAY GO TO ST. LOUIS.

BROAD JUMPER OF DORCHESTER HIGH SCHOOL.
(Snapshot for the Boston American.)

ROXBURY HIGH RUNNER IN HIS STRIDE.
(Snapshot for the Boston American.)



RUNNING TEAM OF ROXBURY HIGH SCHOOL
(Photographed by the Boston American.)

These boys are good for the 220-yard dash. In a long distance run Dorchester expects to present McBath, Gallagher and Kelly. In the twelve-pound shot-put this school will be represented by Callanan and Selley, who are practicing every day, and are said to be developing much skill. For the broad jump Riley and Cohen are boys who will give a good account of themselves. Dorchester will depend largely upon Wharton in the high jump.

Dorchester Boys Working.

The boys are working at the Charlesbank athletic grounds, under the supervision of A. S. Perkins, with Hugh McGrath as instructor.

It is expected that all the boys who will be eligible for the St. Louis games will be at the Dorchester games. A special committee will decide the result, and this report will be forwarded to the committee, who will decide who is to compose the team that is to go to the Fair.

The committee that is to select the team to go to St. Louis has a number of names from the various schools of the city in its possession, and the work that the boys do in the next few weeks will largely determine whether or not they will be selected to be a member of the team.

One thing should be remembered:

The High School boy must be under nineteen years of age.

The Grammar School boy must be under fifteen years of age.

The boys who contemplate entering the events and those who are interested in having them do so will be interested in the following official list of events and the rules governing the eligibility of competitors:

Elementary School Events.

50-Yard Run.
100-Yard Run.
220-Yard Run.
880-Yard Relay Race (four boys).
Running High Jump.
Running Broad Jump.
Putting the 12-Pound Shot.
Basket Ball Championship.

High School Events.

50-Yard Run.
100-Yard Run.
220-Yard Run.
440-Yard Run.
880-Yard Run.
One-Mile Run.
Running High Jump.
Running Broad Jump.
Putting 12-Pound Shot.
Basket Ball Championship.
One-Mile Team Relay Race, each boy to run a quarter of a mile.

Public School Consolation Races.

Open to those who competed on the day before, but who failed to be placed. The events will be the same as for July 4, with the omission of basket ball.

All the trophies and medals are presented by the generosity of the Hon. William Randolph Hearst.

One trophy for permanent competition between the public schools, elementary and high schools of the United States and Canada.

This trophy shall be held in trust for the present by the New York Public Schools Athletic League. As soon as the National Public Schools Athletic League is fully organized the cup will be given to them for future competition among these cities.

The details of the mode of award will be decided by the New York Public Schools Athletic League, pending the complete organization of the Public Schools Athletic League of North America.

Gold medals to the winners in each event, silver to the second and bronze to the third.

Trophy for High School basket ball championship. Gold medals to members of the team.

Trophy for Elementary School basket ball championship. Gold medals to members of the team.

Three trophies for High School relay race. Gold, silver and bronze medals for members of the first, second and third teams.

There will be similar gold, silver and bronze prizes awarded in the consolation races.

No trophies will be awarded for the consolation races.

A special commemorative medal will be given to each one who actually competes or serves as an official.

An entry fee of 50 cents for each event will be charged. The right to reject any entry is reserved. No entry will be received unless it is accompanied by a certificate from the principal of the school certifying as to the scholarship and eligibility of the athlete.

Entries close with James E. Sullivan, chief of the Department of Physical Culture, Universal Exposition, St. Louis, Mo., June 15, 1904.

Eligibility for Public School Events.

Each person entering must fulfil the following conditions:

He must be a student carrying full work in a regular course.

His present grade of scholarship must be such as to entitle him to promotion or graduation, if continued.

He must be under nineteen years of age for High School events, and under fifteen years of age for Elementary School events.

He must have been enrolled in the school that he is to represent before March 1, 1904.

He must be in good standing in the school, i. e., not under discipline.

He must be an amateur.

SAYS DORCHESTER BOYS WILL BE HEARD FROM

A. S. Perkins, who has charge of the track teams of the Dorchester High School, and who is deeply interested in the welfare of the schoolboy athletes of Boston, says regarding the project:

"I think Mr. Hearst has done a wise thing in arranging to take a team of schoolboy athletes to St. Louis. Boston thinks it is ahead of other cities in the development of athletics, and this should give us an opportunity to demonstrate it.

"Of course I am very much interested in the welfare of the Dorchester High School. I believe we have boys here who will be able to compete with any others of their age in this country. I am anxious to have some of the boys under my charge chosen as representatives of the public schools of Boston to go to St. Louis and compete with the teams of other cities. I am not in the least doubtful of the result. The boys of our school have taken much more interest in athletics since the announcement was made of Mr. Hearst's proposed action in the BOSTON AMERICAN. The only regret we have is that the age limit precludes the participation in the contest of some boys who are over nineteen years. Of course we will have to do the best we can under these conditions, and we still believe that Dorchester will be heard from in the St. Louis contests."

THE CHAPERON ON SOCIETY

Balch-Copeland Wedding at Melrose Draws Select Group of Boston Society People.

BOSTON MAN WEDS IN N. J.

By the Chaperon.

THOSE who were fortunate enough to receive invitations to the Balch-Copeland wedding in Melrose found it a quiet but "smart" affair. The contracting parties are both well known in Boston society, the bride being Miss Abby Copeland and the bridegroom Joseph Balch. It was at the home of the bride's mother. Palms and ropings of laurel furnished the decorations, with clusters of roses in vases. The Rev. Thomas Simms, of the Melrose Congregational Church, officiated.

I have not seen such a pretty gown for a long time as was worn by the bride. It was of white chair de lun, and trimmed with old Flemish lace. It was an imported creation. Miss Gertrude, the bride's sister, who acted as maid of honor, had a gown of the same material, trimmed with Malta lace.

Mr. S. Hooper Cooper was best man.

Another quiet wedding was that of Miss Alice Bosman Duncan to MacGregor Jenkins at the Presbyterian Church, Englewood, N. J., last Thursday. Mr. Jenkins is from Boston where he is a member of a number of prominent clubs. Miss Duncan is the daughter of the late General Samuel A. Duncan and is well known here. Miss Ruth A. Duncan was the maid of honor and the best man was Ruskin D. Jinks.

I understand that Mr. Jenkins has bought a place on Commonwealth avenue and will bring his bride here in the fall. This summer they will be at the North Shore.

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The cool weather of the week has not been favorable to moving on the part of those who have Summer homes outside the city, and as a result the season at the North Shore and other places will be about a week late. Most of the houses at the shore are ready for occupancy, the owners having sent their servants down in advance to get them ready, but the owners themselves have not gone, preferring to wait until the weather is a little more balmy before trusting themselves to the cooling breezes of the ocean.

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Arthur Amory and his family are at Beverly Farms. They are a welcome addition to the place, as they entertain in quite a lavish manner.

Joseph Sargent, Sr., has also arrived. He is to spend the Summer at his Magnolia cottage.

The Clement Houghtons have closed their Commonwealth avenue home and taken themselves away to their place at Coolidge Point, Manchester, for the season. The Houghtons are usually among the first arrivals, but sickness in the family prevented them from going down early this year.

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I hear that the Newport cottagers are quite devoted to the circus which is playing there for two or three days, and at every performance thus far there has been a good attendance of the smart set. While it was in Boston there were a number of society people that attended. Not that they wanted to go, no, no; but they found it convenient to take their children. But if you watched them you could see that they enjoyed it just as much as the younger generation, and perhaps more.

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Max Agassiz, who has settled at Newport for the season, has been in Boston for the past two or three days on business. He has returned to his Summer place, however, and says that he won't be disturbed again this season.

SOLD WIFE FOR FIFTY DOLLARS

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., June 4.—"Mrs. George Merrill" informs the District Attorney that he whose name she bears received her from her lawful husband, John Bagley, whose hired man he was, in settlement of a claim for $50 wages. A formal bill of sale was made out, and this she wants annulled.

The woman has a document from an Oramel justice which says that the writer knows of no reason why Merrill and Estelle M. Bagley should not live together as man and wife, provided Mrs. Bagley's husband "is a matter between the parties interested and no one else," concludes this weighty opinion.

WOMAN'S PURSUER SAID SHE STOLE $40 OF HIM

A flashily dressed young woman pursued by a man was captured by a policeman at midnight. George D. Coleman, the man in the case, charged the woman, who said she was Jennie Quinn, with having stolen $40 from him while they were talking in a doorway.

MENIER GIVING ANTICOSTA UP

QUEBEC, June 4.—Anticosti, royal island and domain of the French chocolate king, Menier, is to be abandoned. Mr. Menier is said to be tired of his lonely seignlory in the gulf of St. Lawrence, and men accustomed to work there each summer learn that their services are not now needed.

Mr. Menier has spent $1,500,000 on his whim. When he first purchased the island, some six or seven years ago, an outcry was raised by the "local" element in Canada at this encroachment of a foreigner upon British soil. Mr. Menier had trouble with a settlement of Methodists at Fox Bay later. Now people ask, What will be done with the place?

FIND MADONNA IN BALTIMORE

BALTIMORE, June 4.—Raphael's Madonna, stolen from a church in Florence, Italy, twenty years ago, is said to be now in the Maryland Historical Gallery. Curator Kaibfus has gone to Chicago to seek the missing link in the chain of identification.

The stolen picture is known to have reached this country and was traced to a junk store in Chicago. It was then lost sight of. The painting was easy of identification for Raphael painted only a few sucsiling Madonnas.

If it is an original it has an almost priceless value.

FROM SCHOOL AND COLLEGE

The announcement of winners in the Brookline High School contest in connection with the Walter Channing Cup, one of the events of the field and class day on the Common, will be announced next week. Several hundred spectators witnessed the exercises, including drills and the planting of the ivy of the class of 1904. The class day exercises, held in the school hall, were the feature of the day.

The Erie Pape School of Art is holding its sixth annual exhibition of students' work at the galleries, corner of Newbury streets avenue and Boylston street. In the line exhibits, representing the work of 171 pupils, first honor has been won by Robert Hemmings.

Richard Cobb, of Harvard University, has been selected as head master of Milton Academy, to succeed H. O. Apthorp, resigned.

Simmons Female College expects to occupy the new building on the Fenway next September. The tract of land on Brookline avenue, recently purchased, will be the site of dormitories.

Cohasset High School alumni have held their seventh annual reunion in the Town Hall, Louis D. Nash, of Holyoke, being the orator of the evening. An excellent program of oratory and music was enjoyed by a large gathering.

SON OF WU TING FANG SCHOOL VALEDICTORIAN

ATLANTIC CITY, June 4.—A Chinese valedictorian was the central figure in the commencement exercises of the Atlantic City High School. He was Wu Chaoochu, son of the former minister plenipotentiary to the United States, Wu Ting Fang, at present vice-president of the foreign board in Pekin.

DEMOCRATS PLAN FIELD DAY

H. J. Cunningham, former chief of police of Cambridge, is chairman of the committee to arrange for a monster field day at Myrtle Park, Cambridge, under the auspices of the Democratic City Committee. It will take place after the National Convention, and will be the opening gun in the Democratic campaign in Cambridge.

John Buckley, William Nickerson and Edward James are the other members of the committee. Ex-Mayor McNamee urged them to get to work at once.

SEEK FIREBUGS IN CAMBRIDGE

The police of Cambridge are after two men who are suspected as responsible for a fire at 1,686 Massachusetts avenue, at which there was a loss of $1,500.

Two men were seen to jump from the window as the firemen arrived.

The house was occupied by Mrs. James Milton and her sister, Miss Keogh.

SALEM TO GIVE CRUISER
SALEM A SILVER SERVICE

SALEM, June 4.—The Board of Trade has adopted a resolution expressing the appreciation of the board to President Roosevelt for naming one of the new 4,000-ton cruisers Salem. The Board of Trade favors a public subscription to defray the expense of a silver service for the cruiser.

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HEARST'S BOSTON AMERICAN.

WILLIAM RANDOLPH HEARST.

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Mr. Cleveland, Mere Honesty Won't Make a Good President.

Other Things Are Needed in the Man Chosen to Represent This Country.

Grover Cleveland expresses the belief that the man to be chosen as candidate by the Democratic party is not hard to find.

HONESTY IS THE IMPORTANT QUALITY—says Mr. Cleveland.

Without minimizing the gravity of the bond steal, which disgraced Mr. Cleveland's administration, this newspaper is bound to disagree with the ex-President.

It is necessary, of course, that a man should be honest.

He should not allow his Wall Street friends to rob the people who have elected him.

But honesty, like sanity, ought to be a mere matter of course in a man chosen for the highest office.

IT WOULD be a mere matter of course, if the choice of a candidate were left to the people themselves, instead of being put in the hands of juggling politicians, among whom honesty is indeed rare.

That a man twice chosen President of the United States should utter the statement that honesty in a man is all-sufficient for the highest office in America is disgraceful.

What twinges of conscience, what striving to wipe out the past must lie back of such a statement!

The President of the United States, Mr. Cleveland, must have a character superior to that of the man who merely refrains from stealing, or permitting his friends to steal.

The fundamental requisites in a Democratic candidate are CHARACTER and ABILITY.

The Democrats will ask of their candidate:—

What is his CHARACTER? Is he a Democrat at heart, as well as on the surface? Does he really BELIEVE in the American form of Government? Is it his deep desire to make himself useful to all the people, and not to a class? Does he feel that Government is established for the protection and the advancement of the great mass of the people, of those whose lack of individual fortune or power makes just government vital?

The candidate for the Democrats, Mr. Cleveland, must be a man of democratic character, not one whose pleasure boat is the private yacht of a Wall Street trickster and stock jobber, not one whose advisers in matters of national finance are the sharks who live by robbing the nation—the bond brokers and the cunning agents of Rothschilds and Morgans.

The Democrats don't want a man merely honest; they want a man whose democratic character is genuine, and they want a man who is able.

When the Democrats have found a man who has genuine democratic character, they will want to know if he has ability.

They will ask, What has he done? And they will ask also:

Has he proved that he has courage, is it known that money and position will be unable to take him away from the people that voted for him?

There are big problems to be solved by the American people. Wisely and judiciously, but FIRMLY, they must weed out the national evils, pull up by the roots the financial trust weeds that are choking legitimate industry and effort.

The Democrats will want for their candidate a man who will exercise for the benefit of the people some of that American ability and courage that have been so freely exercised in the Republican party for the benefit of the trusts.

The Democratic party does NOT want another bond scandal. It DOES want honesty in the White House, but it wants to be able to take that honesty for granted.

The party that has produced such men as Jefferson and Jackson is not going to be content with any man merely warranted NOT TO STEAL THE PUBLIC MONEY.

Trolley Grab Only Scotched, Not Killed.

Watch the Lobby Every Minute Till the House Adjourns.

Good sense and good citizenship, in response to the appeal from the AMERICAN, gave a stinging rebuke to the lobby and the "trolley grab" interests, when the Western Massachusetts Railway bill was voted down at its third reading.

BUT THE BILL IS ONLY SCOTCHED; IT IS NOT KILLED. The duty of the House is to BURY IT FOREVER FROM SIGHT.

The air of the State House corridors was filled yesterday with sinister rumors of what the lobby was doing to "induce" a reconsideration of the bill. But the underground workers, the influences that flee from the light of day, accomplished nothing.

Vigilance is necessary, however, to the last minute of the session, and especially to-day. Let the honest and fearless members of the House, who seek only to protect the interest of the public, keep their eyes open constantly and be on hand ready to vote at the first attempt of the powers that work in the dark to steal away the people's rights.

Make sure that the "trolley grab" is dead beyond danger of revival.

TO SOLVE THE AUTOMOBILE PROBLEM.

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

The recent automobile accident, where a little child was killed as she stepped out into the street to board a car, brings again before the public the question, "What should the laws be governing these vehicles?"

Now there are three possible answers to this much-discussed problem, and they may be stated as follows: First, would it be advisable to still further limit the speed? Second, could automobiles be legally barred from the city streets? And third, would it not be the most practicable solution to institute laws governing speed at or near crossings, also sirens and electric car stopping places? In conjunction with this last we might make the laws more stringent with regard to the skill of operators before the granting of licenses.

Then to sum up: To still further limit the speed would be impracticable and unnecessary, for except at crossings and similar places, eight miles an hour, the present speed limit, is sufficiently slow for the safety of the public.

In the second place, to exclude motor vehicles from the city streets would be clearly illegal and not in accordance with the progression of the times.

Then the last proposition, to limit the speed of automobiles at dangerous points on the public highways and to examine the applicants for licenses more thoroughly, is apparently the most feasible way out of the matter. JOHN MATTHEWSON.

Medford.

OUR AMERICAN PEERAGE.

A LITERARY LEXICON OF GORGEOUS GAZABOS AND GOLD-MOUNTED GUYS.

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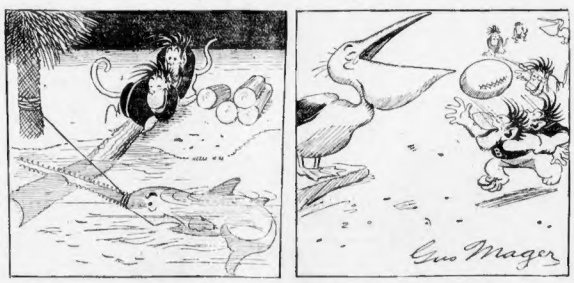
The royal levee was in full blast. The proudest peers of the realm, in costumes of the most en regle description, pushed eagerly forward and got the glad hand. Well-trained and faithful menials stood around rear to run errands or be kicked. The whole affair was simply chock full of esprit-de-corps, with a slight tinge of empressement and entre temps and here and there a faux pas. I was out of sight.

(To Be Continued.)

IN JUNGLE SOCIETY.



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HE EXPLAINS THE MYSTERIES OF BOTANY.

The Stenographer

She Tells Why Women Get the Work Habit.

BY BELLE BLITZ.

"I see," said the Stenographer, "that another one of the ladies who has silk-lined clothes, a string of pearls, three square meals a day and a husband to stand for her shopping ticket, has rushed into print with the old yammer about the working woman being a social menace that is liable some day to blow the whole work.

"The way she figures things out, the modern woman is an industrial freak, who is so fond of work that she simply can't restrain herself when she sees a job. She has to go for it. She is just bound to labor, the more hours a day the better.

"She pines to be a horny-handed daughter of toil and a sister to the ox, and the great problem, according to this soothsayer, is how to find some Keely cure that will break her of the work habit, so as to give poor, down-trodden man a chance to make a frugal living for himself.

"I like to read these dope dreams. I like to read about the beautiful and delicately nurtured girls who insist upon leaving luxurious homes, where they have real Persian rugs to walk on and downy beds to sleep on, and champagne and terrapin to eat, to go away to enjoy the mad delight of living in a two-by-four hall bedroom, eating at a quick-lunch joint and sleeping on a bed that feels like it was stuffed with bricks-bats, and all just because they were crazy to work.

Eating at a quick-lunch joint.

"I love to read about the rich girls who pass up a generous papa's fat pocketbook, and who scorn an allowance that would keep them in French lingerie and imported gowns and hats because they are so smitten with the idea of independence that they prefer to earn a few cheap doll rags with their own little hands.

"I love to read about the daughters of wealthy families, who cut out trips to Europe and Summers at Newport, and automobiles, for the hilarious excitement of pounding on a typewriter all day, or standing eight hours behind a counter and taking the fresh talk of the floor-walker and the marble stare of the haughty dame, whose husband has just turned a trick on the Street.

"It's interesting reading for people who don't care for realistic fiction, for as unadulterated imagination it has got Jules Verne and Rider Haggard skinned to a finish."

"Women are butting in everywhere," said the Bookkeeper, sourly. "Looks like all the women were hot-footing it away from the home to the office, and every time you go after a job you find some petticoat has flagged it down."

"Well, inquired the Stenographer, "suppose she has? You can bet whenever a woman batters down a door to break into a job she needs it.

"Say, how many women did you ever personally know who had good, comfortable homes and fathers or husbands able and willing to support them who chased out to earn their own living?"

"I—er—I can't think of anybody just now," replied the Bookkeeper.

"Neither can I. Neither can anybody," said the Stenographer. "The name of this female paragon of industry isn't in the directory."

"But they say that most of the girls who work in factories and offices are not compelled to do it by necessity," persisted the Bookkeeper; "they just do it for clothes."

"Well," agreed the Stenographer, "considering that we are a considerable distance from the Garden of Eden, and fig leaves went out of fashion in the Fall—that's a pretty good reason; but, say, anybody that's a smooth enough spellbinder to make the public believe that women work for fun ought to start out to sell gold bricks. They could make anything go."

"When standing at a loom gets to be more amusing than playing ping-pong; when a girl had rather run a sewing machine all day than to swing in her hammock and prefers cold coffee to ice-cream soda, then you can believe that the majority of girls who work do it for any other reason than because they need the cold, hard cash, and need it bad and a-plenty. Say, I think anybody that really believes that ought to have their think tank examined. They are headed for the bug-house."

"Would you give up your job if you didn't have to work?" inquired the Bookkeeper.

"Ask me, and see how soon I would hike back to the domestic circle," replied the Stenographer.

They need the cold, hard cash.

Josh Billings.

"Contentment is a kind of moral laziness. If there weren't anything but contentment in this world, man wouldn't be any more of a success than an angle-worm is."

JOSH BILLINGS.

Little Editorials from the People.

THE BOSTON AMERICAN welcomes its growing army of correspondents, who write their views on the many questions in which they are interested, but for the sake of all, and in order to give the hundreds who write to it a chance, it is requested that all make their "little editorials" very brief. Letters of from 100 to 200 words will speedily appear. Longer ones must wait, and are likely never to see the light.

COLLEGE CAPS VS. BALD HEADS.

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

In answer to J. W. E.'s caustic comments on the alleged foolishness of college boys' caps, in the AMERICAN, and in defense of the cap, allow me to suggest that the cause of most bald heads is the use of heavy, air-tight hats. When boys wear a cap the size of a postage stamp they are doing the very best thing possible to keep the head cool and give nature a chance to overcome some of "mother's" excesses. Women have the prerogative of keeping their 25 exhibitions of vanity and "preserved fruit" on "woman's crowning glory." A man must remove his covering when indoors.

A man's hat is a nuisance when off his head, so what could be more sensible or convenient than a small cap, easily tucked out of sight and out of the way in a pocket when not in use, and where it is always within reach when needed?

If the boys would all stick to caps there would soon be no more "bald-headed pows." The college cap is sensible—at $1 per sense. COLLEGE CHUMPS.

Boston.

PUZZLE FOR REPUBLICANS TO SOLVE.

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

I would like to have some good Republican solve this problem for me, because I am not able to do so myself. If the Republican party has the interests of the laboring man at heart, as many of its members claim it has, why is it that the Governor of this State vetoes the only vital piece of legislation passed this year in the interests of labor, and the majority of the Republican members of the House sustain his veto? I for one am puzzled, and would like to have this explained to me, because the fault may be with my understanding and not with the G. O. P.

Brockton, Mass. JOHN WILSON.

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